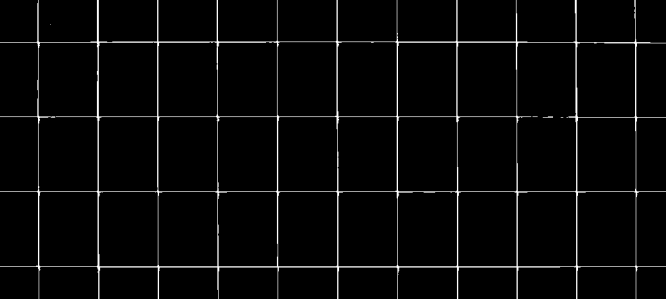


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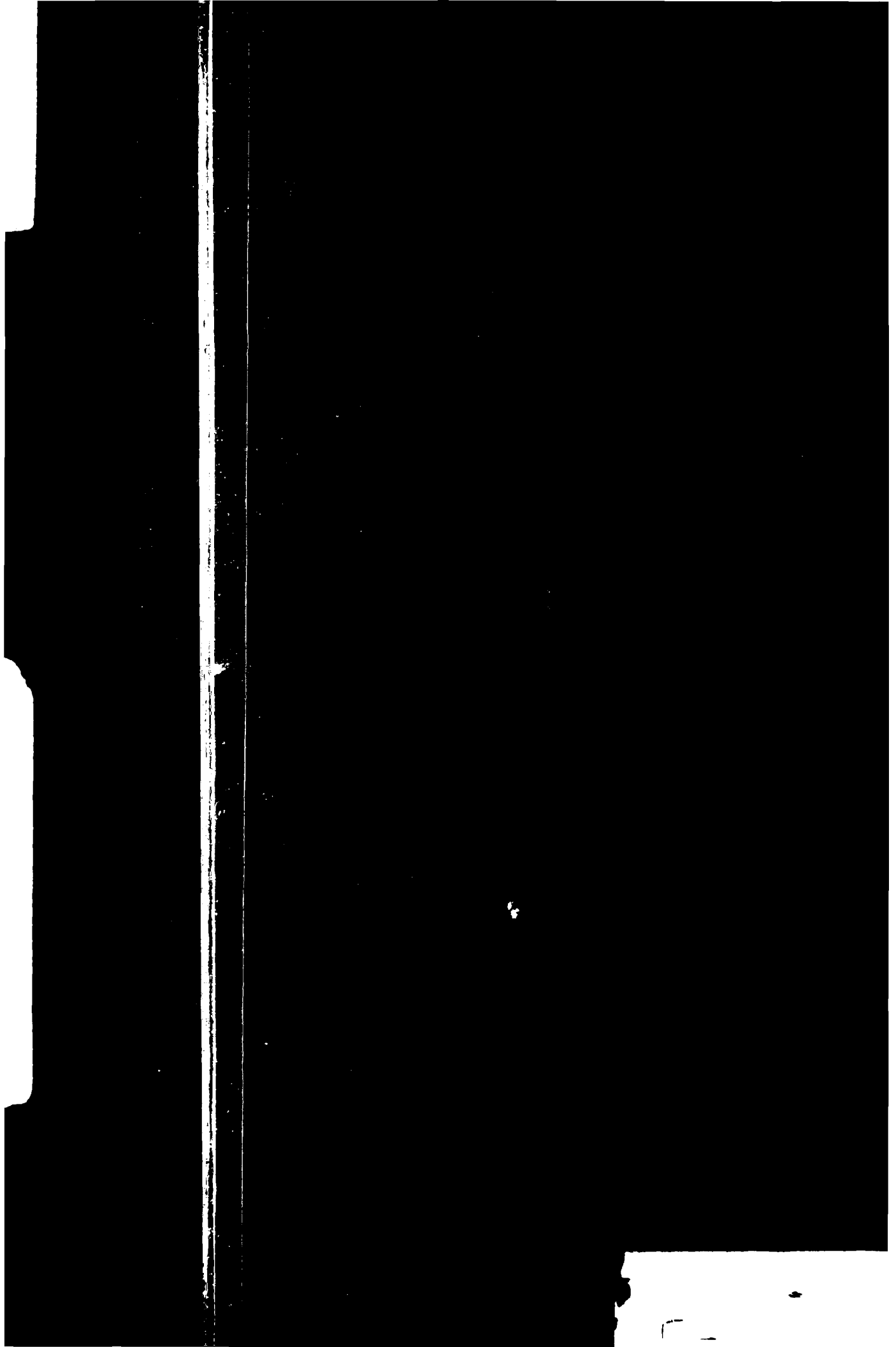
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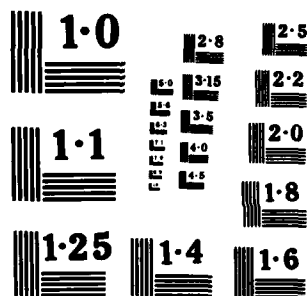
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3. Tables in the section comparing various countries should be regarded as rough comparisons only due to different techniques in constructing the indexes in different countries. Figures for various states or areas within a country should also be regarded as rough comparisons only as different state awards may include different components.
4. Certain indexes have been constructed on classifications which have been revised during the period covered by the indexes. These indexes have been linked on a reasonably comparable basis wherever possible. Any exceptions have been noted in footnotes to the relevant tables.
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# AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF ALL MALE EMPLOYEES - AUSTRALIA

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6302.0)

PERIOD	Survey Reference Date	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	AUSTRALIA
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1982		335.45	317.63	317.60	302.78	331.53	310.70	366.95	378.85	325.55
1983		358.40	344.28	338.08	327.85	353.85	336.60	390.03	398.33	349.00
1984		392.55	380.30	365.93	360.33	388.03	367.93	425.03	432.66	382.53
1981- September	14 August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	383.30 (a)
December	23 October	308.60	285.90	290.00	276.10	291.90	275.80	-	-	296.00 (b)
1982- March	19 February	323.20	303.60	306.30	293.80	313.90	295.60	342.80	354.50	312.40
June	21 May	334.50	309.80	315.90	294.70	330.40	312.00	369.60	383.00	322.30
September	20 August	338.80	324.50	320.10	306.40	338.00	314.10	378.60	380.90	329.90
December	19 November	345.30	332.60	328.10	316.20	343.80	321.10	376.80	397.00	337.60
1983- March	18 February	348.10	334.70	333.70	321.10	351.80	333.00	379.90	401.90	341.00
June	20 May	352.30	338.90	333.00	319.80	345.30	337.10	385.00	398.40	343.30
September	19 August	361.20	344.70	337.20	328.50	351.60	329.30	393.20	393.90	349.70
December	18 November	372.00	358.80	348.40	342.00	366.70	347.00	402.00	399.10	362.00
1984- March	17 February	379.80	367.60	353.60	351.90	378.90	358.10	411.60	411.10	370.60
June	18 May	390.70	380.60	372.70	364.00	391.20	371.40	428.50	436.60	383.80
September	17 August	396.40	387.10	366.50	364.50	390.00	365.30	426.00	433.90	386.20
December	16 November	403.30	385.90	370.90	360.90	392.00	376.90	434.00	449.10	389.50

(a) Individual State details are not available. (b) Includes ACT and NT.

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TABLE 2

3.

## INDEXES OF WEEKLY AWARD RATES OF PAY - ADULT MALES - AUSTRALIA

JUNE 1976 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics - (Cat. No. 6312.0)

End of	Federal Award	State Awards
June -		
1976	100.0	100.0
1977	110.1	110.7
1978	117.4	118.2
1979	128.1	127.5
1980	138.9	136.3
1981	156.8	155.1
1982	181.1	175.7
1983	187.6	184.2
1984	204.0	201.2
1983 -		
January	187.2	183.5
February	187.2	183.6
March	187.3	183.8
April	187.4	184.0
May	187.6	184.0
June	187.6	184.2
July	187.6	184.2
August	187.6	184.3
September	187.6	184.5
October	195.9	192.6
November	196.3	192.8
December	196.3	193.0
1984 -		
January	196.3	193.1
February	196.4	193.6
March	196.4	193.6
April	204.4	201.7
May	204.6	201.8
June	204.6	201.8
July	204.6	201.9
August	204.6	201.9
September	204.6	201.9
October	204.6	201.9
November	204.6	201.9
December	204.6	201.9
1985 -		
January	204.6	201.9
February	204.6	201.9
Annual Change (%)	4.2	4.3

Note: The Australian Bureau of Statistics has replaced the previous series: INDEX OF AND WEEKLY WAGE RATES - ADULT MALES - AUSTRALIA, with the above series. The indexes shown above have a wider coverage of award designations and are based on a more up-to-date occupation structure than the previous series.

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TABLE 3

4.

## INDEX OF AND AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATES - WAGES EMPLOYEES

## GARDEN ISLAND AND WILLIAMSTOWN DOCKYARDS

1980-81 = 100

Source: Garden Island and Williamstown Dockyards

Period	Garden Island		Williamstown	
	Wages	Index	Wages	Index
	\$		\$	
1973-74	2.52	45.1	2.66	45.9
1974-75	3.21	57.4	3.39	58.4
1975-76	3.56	63.7	3.73	64.3
1976-77	3.96	70.8	4.17	71.9
1977-78	4.33	77.5	4.58	79.0
1978-79	4.62	82.6	4.72	81.4
1979-80	4.97	88.9	5.09	87.8
1980-81	5.59	100.0	5.80	100.0
1981-82	6.57	117.5	6.78	116.9
1982-83	7.65	136.9	8.20	141.4
1983-84	7.97	142.6	8.81	151.9
1982-83				
September	7.39	132.2	7.61	131.2
October	7.46	133.5	8.02	138.3
November	7.70	137.7	8.10	139.7
December	7.62	136.3	8.24	142.1
January	7.76	138.8	8.40	144.8
February	7.75	138.6	8.55	147.4
March	7.78	139.2	8.45	145.7
April	7.87	140.8	8.45	145.7
May	7.83	140.1	8.64	149.0
June	7.85	140.4	8.61	148.4
1983-84				
July	7.73	138.3	8.60	148.3
August	7.67	137.2	8.50	146.6
September	7.71	137.9	8.43	145.4
October	7.68	137.4	8.52	146.9
November	7.72	138.1	8.51	146.8
December	8.00	143.1	8.86	152.8
January	8.12	145.2	8.87	153.0
February	8.08	144.5	8.98	154.9
March	8.15	145.8	9.00	155.3
April	8.07	144.3	8.92	153.9
May	8.36	149.5	9.22	159.0
June	8.40	150.2	9.30	160.4
1984-85				
July	8.60	153.8	9.28 (p)	160.0
August	8.75	156.5	9.27 (p)	159.8
September	8.85	158.3	9.26	159.7
October	8.68	155.3	9.40	162.1
November	8.84	158.1	9.46	163.1
December	8.82	157.8	9.14	157.6
January	8.95	160.1	9.32	160.7
February	8.86	158.5	9.48	163.4
March	8.98	160.6	9.49	163.6

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TABLE 4

5.

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION MATERIALS

## AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Conductors	Conduit and Accessories	Switchboards and Switch Gear	All Electrical Materials Excluding Lamps and Light Fittings	All Electrical Materials
Value Weight(a)	20.96%	9.87%	28.92%		100%
1980-81	105.2	112.5	111.9	109.7	109.7
1981-82	115.6	119.9	126.0	121.3	121.9
1982-83	135.2	130.9	140.5	137.1	137.4
1983-84	150.3	143.6	146.2	147.2	146.4
1981-82					
August	110.0	117.6	120.7	116.4	116.2
September	110.8	117.8	121.0	116.9	117.9
October	112.3	118.6	121.3	117.7	118.5
November	114.3	118.9	122.0	118.8	119.1
December	116.2	118.8	123.3	120.1	120.0
January	116.0	119.1	125.3	121.0	122.4
February	116.6	120.0	126.5	121.9	123.6
March	118.2	121.1	132.2	125.5	125.8
April	121.4	121.4	131.6	126.5	127.3
May	123.8	123.2	132.5	127.9	128.4
June	122.6	124.3	135.2	129.0	128.9
1982-83					
July	122.8	125.1	135.1	129.1	130.1
August	126.5	126.0	135.6	130.8	131.7
September	127.5	129.6	138.8	133.3	134.2
October	130.9	129.9	139.5	134.9	135.7
November	132.7	130.5	139.7	135.7	136.2
December	137.9	132.8	144.0	140.0	139.1
January	138.8	132.7	141.5	139.1	138.9
February	138.2	132.3	141.6	138.9	138.8
March	138.5	132.7	142.1	139.3	139.5
April	139.7	132.7	142.1	139.7	140.2
May	142.4	132.8	142.5	140.8	141.4
June	146.6	133.9	144.0	143.2	142.6
1983-84					
July	146.0	137.0	144.4	143.7	143.0
August	144.2	140.8	144.3	143.7	143.3
September	151.7	140.5	143.9	146.1	145.2
October	148.2	140.8	144.6	145.2	144.8
November	146.6	139.8	144.7	144.6	144.5
December	148.6	149.9	147.3	146.5	145.4
January	148.6	142.5	144.9	145.8	145.7
February	147.3	144.0	145.2	145.7	145.9
March	154.6	149.2	147.4	150.2	148.7
April	157.0	149.6	149.1	152.0	150.1
May	155.4	149.5	149.1	151.4	149.8
June	155.4	149.5	149.4	151.5	149.9
1984-85					
July	158.8	149.9	149.7	152.9	150.8
August	159.7	149.6	149.6	153.2	151.0
September	159.4	149.8	148.5	152.6	151.5
October	159.4	150.6	149.4	153.3	152.3
November	166.8	150.9	149.5	155.8	153.5
December	166.3	151.1	149.6	155.7	153.4
January	167.6	151.9	150.4	156.7	154.1

(a) Composition and weighting pattern as at reference base year.

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6.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - METALLIC MATERIALS USED IN THE  
MANUFACTURE OF FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS

Australia 1968-69 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6410.0)

Period	Iron and Steel	Aluminium	Copper and Brass	All Groups (a)
1974-75	161.1	141.9	131.1	158.4
1975-76	200.2	158.0	137.5	193.1
1976-77	227.8	176.9	158.1	219.4
1977-78	248.9	193.7	153.9	238.5
1978-79	264.9	208.9	179.2	256.2
1979-80	294.4	251.5	216.6	297.6
1980-81	336.0	281.5	209.9	330.4
1981-82	370.2	291.2	210.0	354.7
1982-83	407.7	312.2	231.1	392.8
1983-84	437.9	360.4	239.9	422.9
1981-82				
December	365.1	282.9	209.8	349.8
January	366.0	282.9	210.4	350.3
February	379.3	290.8	212.1	362.7
March	379.9	300.6	211.1	363.2
April	380.9	300.4	210.5	364.1
May	381.1	300.2	216.4	364.0
June	392.9	301.5	210.0	372.7
1982-83				
July	394.6	301.3	209.0	374.9
August	395.6	301.3	219.2	377.2
September	395.6	301.2	219.2	379.0
October	396.9	313.2	219.6	381.9
November	407.7	313.2	227.0	391.9
December	411.3	313.2	223.8	395.2
January	411.9	313.2	225.7	397.2
February	411.9	313.0	230.8	399.5
March	412.3	313.0	239.0	398.0
April	412.3	315.9	246.6	400.0
May	419.9	317.7	257.6	408.3
June	422.6	330.0	256.4	410.5
1983-84				
July	423.3	334.3	256.8	411.8
August	430.4	335.3	255.4	417.7
September	432.7	348.3	248.2	420.3
October	435.6	360.5	235.7	420.6
November	435.8	362.3	229.8	419.4
December	438.1	361.0	233.4	422.1
January	439.9	362.2	234.2	422.7
February	439.9	362.7	232.1	423.2
March	441.4	374.5	232.8	426.0
April	446.1	374.5	242.0	430.4
May	446.0	374.8	239.6	430.1
June	446.0	374.9	238.9	430.2
1984-85				
July	449.0	375.0	238.1	431.7
August	449.9	374.9	240.6	432.7
September	450.2	373.8	240.6	432.5
October	451.1	373.7	238.6	433.2
November	451.1	372.6	239.3	433.1
December	453.7	372.4	238.5	434.5
January	453.7	372.5	241.4	434.1
February	453.9	372.5	254.2	435.7
March	453.9	372.9	265.0	436.8

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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TABLE 6

7.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - COPPER MATERIALS USED  
IN THE MANUFACTURE OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

## AUSTRALIA

1983-84 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6410.0)

Period	Copper Materials used in the Manufacture of		
	Industrial	Distribution	Power
	Electric Motors	Transformers	Transformers
1981-82	NA	88.3	87.1
1982-83	NA	98.0	97.0
1983-84	100.0	100.0	100.0
1983-84			
July	107.1	107.7	107.4
August	106.1	106.7	106.4
September	104.3	104.5	103.7
October	98.4	98.7	97.8
November	94.9	95.1	94.3
December	98.2	97.3	97.7
January	98.2	97.3	97.3
February	96.6	96.2	95.9
March	97.1	97.2	96.6
April	100.6	100.5	101.8
May	98.6	99.3	100.4
June	99.6	99.5	100.6
1984-85			
July	99.1	99.0	100.4
August	100.2	100.1	101.7
September	100.2	100.1	101.4
October	98.6	98.4	99.7
November	99.6	99.5	100.6
December	99.1	99.0	100.5
January	99.6	100.9	103.7
February	105.0	106.1	110.3
March	110.5	111.0	113.1

TABLE 7

8.

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING

## OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING

## AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Wood and and Wood Products	Joinery Products(a)	Basic Iron and Steel	Structural Metal Products	Other Fabricated Metal Products
1979-80	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1980-81	114.3	114.7	113.2	113.9	112.9
1981-82	126.5	127.7	126.6	126.4	126.2
1982-83	139.9	141.7	138.6	137.8	141.9
1983-84	149.8	151.3	143.9	143.7	154.7
1981-82					
August	120.4	120.9	121.2	120.3	119.7
September	120.8	121.4	121.4	121.6	121.0
October	122.8	124.0	123.2	122.7	121.7
November	124.0	125.2	123.8	123.4	123.3
December	124.2	125.4	124.0	123.6	124.2
January	125.5	126.5	126.4	126.3	125.7
February	129.8	131.6	129.9	129.3	129.3
March	130.9	132.0	130.6	130.9	131.7
April	132.3	133.6	131.0	131.7	132.7
May	132.7	134.1	133.6	132.4	133.3
June	134.7	136.6	134.0	134.8	133.7
1982-83					
July	136.1	138.1	136.0	135.5	137.1
August	137.4	139.3	137.2	135.9	137.6
September	138.9	140.9	136.5	136.2	137.8
October	138.9	141.0	137.3	136.5	138.3
November	139.2	141.3	138.7	137.6	139.1
December	139.1	141.2	138.6	138.3	140.5
January	140.2	142.2	138.7	138.6	142.3
February	140.3	142.2	139.5	138.6	143.5
March	141.2	142.8	140.3	138.4	144.4
April	142.0	143.3	140.5	138.2	146.5
May	142.6	143.9	140.6	139.4	147.4
June	143.0	144.1	140.5	140.4	147.9
1983-84					
July	143.3	144.2	140.2	140.5	151.1
August	144.8	146.1	141.2	141.0	152.3
September	145.4	147.0	141.1	141.7	153.2
October	146.2	147.9	141.0	143.0	153.5
November	147.9	149.9	143.5	143.8	154.2
December	148.7	150.4	144.6	144.0	154.4
January	149.1	150.7	144.9	144.0	155.0
February	152.0	153.7	144.9	144.4	155.9
March	153.1	154.5	144.8	144.9	156.2
April	154.0	155.3	145.7	145.3	156.7
May	155.9	157.6	147.2	145.9	157.1
June	157.1	158.7	147.7	146.3	157.2
1984-85					
July	158.1	159.6	147.6	145.4	158.8
August	159.4	161.1	148.7	146.2	158.8
September	160.7	162.4	148.6	146.6	159.1
October	162.0	163.9	148.6	147.5	159.0
November	162.9	165.1	148.7	147.9	159.4
December	163.5	165.8	150.4	148.2	160.0
January	163.6	165.8	150.4	148.4	160.3

(a) Includes built-in furniture, partitions, ready-made windows and doors, and other joinery.

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**TABLE 7**  
**INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING**  
**OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING - Continued**

**AUSTRALIA**

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Aluminium Fabricated Products	All Mechanical Services	Cement and Concrete Products	Industrial Machinery and Equipment	All (
1979-80	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1980-81	115.9	111.0	113.0	111.2	
1981-82	128.4	123.5	125.1	124.2	
1982-83	141.1	138.3	143.0	139.9	
1983-84	151.2	146.5	149.9	146.8	
1981-82					
August	122.4	117.1	120.7	117.1	
September	123.9	118.3	120.5	118.8	
October	123.9	118.7	120.1	118.9	
November	124.1	119.1	121.1	119.3	
December	124.4	120.1	121.9	120.6	
January	126.1	124.1	123.2	124.4	
February	130.7	126.7	125.7	127.9	
March	134.0	128.9	130.1	130.4	
April	135.1	129.5	131.3	130.5	
May	136.2	130.7	132.3	131.9	
June	137.0	132.8	134.6	134.2	
1982-83					
July	138.3	133.7	139.1	134.7	
August	138.3	134.6	141.7	135.0	
September	138.6	136.2	142.3	137.3	
October	140.6	137.5	141.3	139.3	
November	141.4	138.1	139.8	139.7	
December	141.5	138.1	141.9	139.4	
January	141.8	138.1	145.4	139.6	
February	142.1	138.4	145.7	139.8	
March	141.9	139.7	145.5	141.4	
April	141.9	141.5	144.8	144.4	
May	143.0	141.9	144.3	144.3	
June	144.2	142.0	144.6	144.2	
1983-84					
July	145.5	141.6	144.3	143.5	
August	146.2	142.3	144.2	144.4	
September	147.1	145.6	143.9	145.2	
October	150.1	145.4	146.9	145.5	
November	150.4	146.0	149.2	146.2	
December	150.8	146.7	149.4	146.5	
January	150.9	146.4	150.9	146.0	
February	152.5	146.6	152.4	146.5	
March	154.5	147.4	153.6	147.2	
April	154.4	149.9	153.8	150.1	
May	154.8	150.1	154.5	150.3	
June	156.9	150.1	156.0	150.1	
1984-85					
July	157.2	150.6	152.6	150.8	
August	157.5	150.8	157.1	150.6	
September	157.3	151.4	158.0	151.5	
October	159.2	151.8	153.3	152.2	
November	159.2	152.2	158.8	152.5	
December	159.4	153.4	159.0	154.2	
January	159.4	153.6	159.3	154.3	

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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TABLE 8

10.

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS

## USED IN HOUSE BUILDING AUSTRALIA

1966-67 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6408.0)

Period	Timber, Board and Joinery	Steel Products	Other Metal Products	Electrical Installation Materials	All Groups (a)
1973-74	169.1	153.8	146.3	146.4	151.3
1974-75	203.5	192.1	170.3	168.3	183.4
1975-76	226.2	229.3	187.1	183.5	208.1
1976-77	254.1	263.2	207.9	201.8	232.9
1977-78	275.0	287.7	220.1	215.5	252.0
1978-79	290.8	307.6	239.7	240.0	268.1
1979-80	331.5	341.0	281.7	282.1	302.9
1980-81	377.8	389.4	314.7	316.0	344.0
1981-82	406.8	434.9	343.1	345.9	377.7
1982-83	434.2	484.2	372.3	395.6	413.5
1983-84	473.3	517.2	405.6	439.9	445.6
1981-82					
January	404.7	431.0	341.8	341.7	376.2
February	412.0	444.6	352.4	343.2	382.7
March	417.1	450.1	356.8	359.4	389.3
April	419.9	453.6	357.5	363.7	392.5
May	422.8	456.8	359.3	367.0	395.1
June	425.0	462.6	358.7	364.2	397.7
1982-83					
July	426.6	468.1	360.8	364.9	401.7
August	428.1	470.7	364.6	369.8	404.3
September	429.0	471.6	363.1	381.9	406.8
October	429.0	474.4	363.7	385.6	408.0
November	429.1	478.7	366.8	387.6	408.8
December	428.8	483.1	369.8	399.9	410.1
January	431.8	485.9	370.2	400.1	413.3
February	433.2	489.8	375.0	402.9	416.5
March	438.3	493.4	377.6	405.2	419.8
April	443.4	495.3	382.1	408.7	422.5
May	445.3	497.0	387.2	412.8	424.1
June	448.3	502.7	387.9	429.2	426.1
1983-84					
July	450.0	505.8	395.9	432.1	428.4
August	452.7	507.3	399.3	430.3	431.3
September	453.2	510.8	399.5	436.0	432.7
October	458.7	512.4	399.8	429.4	435.9
November	464.3	516.6	398.8	429.8	439.3
December	467.4	519.7	401.6	432.9	442.0
January	471.4	519.6	402.8	432.2	445.0
February	480.3	519.9	407.6	430.8	450.3
March	488.8	520.3	414.2	456.0	456.4
April	492.7	521.9	412.9	458.4	458.2
May	498.1	525.4	416.6	455.5	462.0
June	503.5	526.4	418.1	455.1	465.1
1984-85					
July	506.5	525.7	422.9	459.2	467.4
August	510.1	529.1	423.5	461.8	469.5
September	512.6	529.4	424.6	461.8	471.5
October	519.0	532.5	422.5	462.3	474.8
November	519.9	533.9	424.0	479.2	476.1
December	520.6	535.6	423.8	479.6	477.0

(a) Includes components other than those shown

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TABLE 9

11.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN  
MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

1968-69 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No 6411.0)

Period	Home Produced and Imported Materials			Imported Manufactured Materials			
	Food, Live Animals and Tobacco	Crude Materials (excl. Fuels)	Electricity Gas and Fuels	Chemicals	Metal Manufactures Components for Transport Equipment & Machinery	Other Manufactured Materials	All Groups (a)
1973-74	145.9	140.7	126.2	96.3	118.6	106.1	134.7
1974-75	132.4	149.3	179.5	141.9	148.7	137.4	145.1
1975-76	132.5	163.0	229.0	149.4	179.6	148.4	158.6
1976-77	154.9	191.7	254.8	160.3	211.6	164.5	182.2
1977-78	166.6	199.2	291.0	170.7	246.6	185.1	198.5
1978-79	232.5	227.4	362.4	180.9	271.6	201.3	248.5
1979-80	285.1	288.8	554.6	225.1	294.2	230.3	321.8
1980-81	299.5	286.9	695.5	244.7	310.3	242.9	353.2
1981-82	283.9	281.4	771.8	252.8	320.7	257.3	358.9
1982-83	291.2	303.9	880.7	271.0	343.9	280.8	388.0
1983-84	315.2	319.2	868.7	282.8	358.0	288.0	402.1
1982-83							
July	275.7	286.6	844.7	264.9	334.5	269.4	370.0
August	270.5	291.3	867.1	268.1	334.5	272.2	372.6
September	269.5	297.2	876.7	270.3	335.7	275.2	375.3
October	272.4	297.9	885.8	271.2	336.9	279.0	378.5
November	266.5	298.3	885.6	270.5	337.3	279.6	375.9
December	266.3	297.2	880.9	270.8	338.6	280.0	374.9
January	281.5	300.8	902.8	265.7	338.2	279.6	385.7
February	282.2	307.9	900.9	268.5	341.5	278.3	387.5
March	301.8	311.0	895.6	270.7	352.2	285.6	397.4
April	326.0	317.6	874.9	274.7	360.8	288.8	407.4
May	339.9	319.8	877.2	278.0	359.2	290.9	414.8
June	341.6	321.0	876.2	278.8	357.7	291.0	415.7
1983-84							
July	324.2	324.3	876.3	279.1	358.7	288.5	408.4
August	312.6	324.1	876.3	280.9	358.7	288.0	403.1
September	311.8	323.8	877.8	283.3	358.3	288.4	403.0
October	302.7	317.0	878.4	284.0	356.9	289.3	397.6
November	300.6	314.2	876.8	284.0	355.3	288.2	395.6
December	308.3	314.4	876.7	284.3	356.0	288.7	399.3
January	314.4	312.9	861.5	283.9	355.8	287.0	399.2
February	321.1	316.5	858.8	282.9	354.9	286.4	402.5
March	323.7	316.6	859.4	282.9	356.6	287.5	403.9
April	322.4	319.4	859.9	282.5	359.3	289.6	404.2
May	320.8	321.8	859.7	282.0	361.2	285.9	403.8
June	319.5	325.4	862.4	284.3	364.3	289.3	404.9
1984-85							
July	319.7	329.7	874.6	286.2	369.1	294.0	408.5
August	329.1	328.8	875.2	288.9	372.7	298.8	413.3
September	325.6	325.1	879.6	291.7	374.9	301.2	412.1
October	318.4	323.3	880.2	293.0	373.4	303.3	408.6
November	314.4	323.6	882.4	293.8	370.8	305.5	407.3
December	312.1	323.9	880.4	294.2	371.2	306.0	406.0
January	312.8	325.0	895.1	295.7	372.8	310.2	409.3

(a) All components shown.

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Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 6401.0) 1980-81=100

Period	Food	Clothing	Housing	Household Equipment and Operation		Transportation	Tobacco and Alcohol	Health & Personal Care	Recreation & Education	All Groups
				Equipment	Operation					
1980-81	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	-	100.0
1981-82	108.6	107.1	111.1	110.6	110.3	110.3	109.2	124.2	100.6	110.4
1982-83	118.5	114.2	122.8	123.8	124.2	124.1	153.2	107.7	107.7	123.1
1983-84	127.7	120.9	131.5	132.6	134.8	139.6	146.5	114.5	114.5	131.6
1980-81										
September	96.6	97.1	96.4	96.7	95.9	97.8	98.1	98.1	-	96.8
December	99.3	99.3	98.9	98.7	97.7	98.8	99.2	99.2	-	98.8
March	101.3	100.3	101.0	101.5	101.2	100.9	100.8	100.8	-	101.1
June	102.8	103.3	103.8	103.1	105.2	102.5	101.8	101.8	-	103.4
1981-82										
September	106.4	104.1	106.4	105.5	105.3	105.7	102.9	102.9	-	105.5
December	108.1	106.9	109.7	109.2	110.0	107.6	128.2	128.2	-	109.9
March	109.1	107.4	112.2	112.0	111.3	110.4	131.2	131.2	100.0	111.8
June	110.7	110.0	115.9	115.6	114.7	112.9	134.5	134.5	101.2	114.5
1982-83										
September	114.0	111.2	118.9	119.1	121.1	118.0	143.1	143.1	103.3	118.5
December	116.8	113.7	122.3	123.6	122.7	124.0	151.2	151.2	105.7	121.9
March	118.9	113.9	124.1	125.5	126.4	125.8	157.4	157.4	109.8	124.7
June	124.2	117.8	126.0	127.1	126.4	128.5	161.1	161.1	112.0	127.3
1983-84										
September	125.6	117.8	127.4	129.1	130.9	131.2	164.5	164.5	113.2	129.4
December	127.2	120.4	130.5	132.8	134.5	139.5	167.9	167.9	113.5	132.5
March	129.2	120.9	132.6	133.7	135.5	142.0	135.5	135.5	115.9	132.0
June	128.8	124.4	135.5	134.8	138.1	145.5	118.2	118.2	115.4	132.3
1984-85										
September	131.6	124.9	137.9	136.2	139.7	147.5	118.2	118.2	116.7	134.0
December	133.5	128.1	140.2	137.6	140.9	150.5	120.8	120.8	116.9	135.9

(a) March Quarter 1982 = 100

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TABLE 11  
INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - SELECTED ITEMS - AUSTRALIA  
1980-81 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 6401.0)

Period	Housing Group			Transportation Group				Alcoholic Beverages				Postal	
	Private Houses	Gov't Houses	Total	Public Fares	Private Purchase		Fuel	Total Costs	Beer	Wine and Spirits	Total (b)	Telephone Services	Fuel and Light
					Purchase	Transport							
1980-81	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981-82	109.5	111.8	109.8	113.9	110.3	107.9	110.7	110.3	110.5	107.3	109.5	107.2	115.8
1982-83	121.1	132.9	122.5	128.4	119.6	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.9	116.6	123.0	117.8	141.4
1983-84	129.8	142.3	131.2	143.8	128.1	137.7	134.2	134.8	137.9	125.3	133.9	127.6	152.8
1981-82													
September	105.3	107.3	105.5	105.6	105.6	104.7	104.5	105.3	106.8	103.6	105.8	101.4	108.4
December	108.0	109.8	108.3	115.4	109.9	109.4	108.6	110.0	108.6	105.0	107.5	106.4	111.8
March	110.4	113.5	110.8	117.2	112.2	107.2	111.8	111.3	112.0	109.0	111.0	109.5	119.2
June	114.2	116.7	114.5	117.2	113.3	110.4	117.8	114.7	114.4	111.5	113.5	111.3	123.9
1982-83													
September	117.5	129.4	119.0	123.5	116.2	123.9	121.1	121.1	119.6	113.9	117.8	114.4	133.7
December	120.0	133.8	121.6	129.4	116.8	124.1	123.3	122.7	126.1	116.1	123.0	118.9	143.1
March	122.3	133.9	123.7	130.2	120.6	129.0	126.8	126.4	127.9	117.3	124.6	119.0	144.4
June	124.6	134.4	125.8	130.3	124.7	123.0	128.6	126.4	129.9	119.0	126.5	118.9	144.4
1983-84													
September	126.6	137.9	127.9	134.1	126.3	132.1	131.7	130.9	131.0	120.0	127.5	118.9	148.5
December	128.5	141.2	130.0	145.9	127.3	138.4	133.1	134.5	136.5	125.3	132.9	130.4	155.3
March	130.7	142.9	132.1	147.6	128.5	137.7	135.1	135.5	140.0	126.9	135.8	130.6	154.7
June	133.2	147.0	134.9	147.5	130.3	142.7	136.9	138.1	144.1	129.1	139.4	130.6	152.6
1984-85													
September	135.5	151.5	137.4	151.1	131.7	144.0	138.6	139.7	145.7	130.7	141.0	130.6	156.7
December	138.0	155.4	140.0	154.5	133.6	142.7	140.7	140.9	148.2	133.9	143.7	130.6	160.7

(a) Includes components other than those shown (b) All components shown

STATISTICS OF SHIP AND BOAT BUILDING AND REPAIRING  
AUSTRALIA

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 3203.0)

Period	Establishments	No of Persons Employed	Wages and Salaries		Turnover	Value Added		As Percentage of Turnover
			Total	Per Employee		Total Salaries	Wages & Salaries	
		No	\$ '000	\$	\$ '000	\$ '000	\$	%
<b>Ship and Boat Building and Repairing</b>								
1968-69	454	21,507	75,726	3,521	174,536	103,880	1.37	59.52
1969-70	459	20,244	78,422	3,874	183,040	99,473	1.27	54.34
1970-71	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1971-72	451	20,586	93,522	4,543	217,084	102,509	1.10	47.22
1972-73	473	21,454	104,031	4,849	231,414	124,807	1.20	53.93
1973-74	493	19,497	112,253	5,757	244,129	143,739	1.28	58.88
1974-75	318	18,994	137,549	7,242	299,120	180,942	1.32	60.49
1975-76	339	18,357	152,539	8,309	353,787	220,413	1.44	62.30
1976-77	330	16,840	159,789	9,489	333,427	213,355	1.34	63.99
1977-78	332	15,683	162,544	10,364	365,517	220,587	1.36	60.35
1978-79	325	14,328	144,117	10,058	357,815	203,920	1.41	56.99
1979-80	340	14,459	164,214	11,357	418,854	240,628	1.47	57.45
1980-81	335	14,672	179,025	12,202	455,354	258,210	1.44	56.71
1981-82	319	14,792	210,101	14,204	527,236	301,586	1.44	57.20
1982-83	308	14,025	225,341	16,067	553,488	311,990	1.38	56.37
<b>Ship Building and Repair</b>								
1968-69	86	17,901	63,927	3,571	139,226	84,992	1.33	61.05
1969-70	90	16,547	65,909	3,983	146,204	80,118	1.22	54.80
1970-71	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1971-72	99	17,245	81,189	4,708	177,991	93,102	1.15	52.31
1972-73	102	17,927	89,876	5,013	185,770	103,655	1.15	55.80
1973-74	105	15,973	96,224	6,024	187,105	115,893	1.20	61.94
1974-75	90	16,018	120,309	7,511	243,584	154,579	1.28	63.46
1975-76	87	15,209	131,645	8,656	280,296	185,073	1.41	66.03
1976-77	81	13,520	134,206	9,926	239,309	169,674	1.26	70.90
1977-78	82	12,410	136,133	10,970	265,338	174,164	1.40	65.64
1978-79	78	10,950	113,202	10,338	235,407	151,602	1.34	64.40
1979-80	81	11,286	134,619	11,928	298,689	190,855	1.42	63.90
1980-81	74	11,644	147,636	12,679	324,880	207,341	1.40	63.82
1981-82	78	11,777	175,230	14,879	387,213	244,676	1.40	63.19
1982-83	77	11,590	193,434	16,690	424,816	263,359	1.36	61.99

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TABLE 13

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## AVERAGE EARNINGS INDEX FOR SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

UK

January 1980 = 100

Source: Department of Employment Gazette - UK.

	SIC 1980					
	Chemicals and Man-made Fibres	Metal Processing and Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Metal Goods and Instruments	Electrical and Elec- tronic En- gineering	All Manufac Indus.(a)
Period						
1980	109.8	..	106.9	103.7	109.0	109.1
1981	124.8	124.9	117.3	116.8	123.4	123.6
1982	138.9	137.3	130.6	129.3	139.2	137.4
1983	152.0	150.7	142.3	140.3	152.9	149.7
1981-						
April	117.4	118.3	113.7	111.1	118.9	118.4
May	120.9	121.6	115.7	114.4	121.7	121.0
June	124.3	123.0	117.0	116.3	123.9	124.5
July	123.7	131.8	117.0	116.7	126.5	125.4
August	134.4	128.4	117.7	117.7	124.5	126.0
September	126.9	131.3	119.9	119.7	125.3	126.2
October	131.0	133.8	122.0	121.1	127.8	128.6
November	133.2	133.9	122.9	126.4	129.3	130.8
December	135.6	132.2	123.8	124.8	131.3	130.8
1982-						
January	132.5	136.4	123.9	123.2	131.8	131.1
February	131.1	134.3	125.7	125.2	132.5	131.8
March	133.0	134.6	129.0	128.6	136.7	134.4
April	134.4	137.4	127.7	127.3	136.9	134.8
May	135.0	136.9	130.1	131.0	137.6	137.5
June	140.8	135.7	131.6	129.5	140.5	138.9
July	140.9	145.9	132.9	129.8	140.7	139.2
August	139.0	136.3	130.8	128.7	139.6	137.6
September	139.0	135.0	131.1	130.0	140.2	137.9
October	140.8	140.8	133.2	131.0	143.2	140.0
November	149.5	136.1	135.5	133.9	144.1	142.5
December	150.9	138.1	136.5	132.9	146.3	143.2
1983-						
January	143.7	140.9	135.1	133.5	147.0	142.9
February	145.0	140.4	136.0	134.1	147.1	143.7
March	143.3	141.8	138.1	137.3	150.1	145.1
April	146.2	146.2	138.8	136.4	150.6	146.7
May	149.4	147.4	141.7	141.0	152.2	149.2
June	150.3	147.6	143.2	139.2	154.0	150.2
July	151.9	166.3	143.4	140.3	154.8	151.2
August	157.1	151.7	141.8	140.7	152.8	149.9
September	152.9	152.1	143.2	142.1	153.3	150.9
October	153.1	163.8	145.3	144.1	157.5	153.3
November	164.7	154.3	148.6	147.9	156.8	156.5
December	166.1	155.8	152.8	146.6	158.7	157.0
1984-						
January	155.8	167.3	148.8	145.2	158.3	155.9
February	158.1	159.3	151.3	149.0	160.0	157.5
March	158.2	162.6	153.7	151.2	163.4	159.3
April	157.6	171.2	150.5	147.9	166.9	158.0
May	159.9	161.4	153.6	151.4	165.1	160.6
June	164.8	162.6	157.0	151.7	167.5	163.8
July	164.2	181.6	158.8	153.0	169.6	164.6
August	171.3	164.6	155.3	150.6	166.2	162.8
September	164.8	163.7	156.5	153.0	168.3	164.5
October	166.1	176.1	160.7	154.9	171.0	167.0

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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TABLE 14

16.

## INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES

## MATERIALS AND FUEL PURCHASED BY SELECTED BROAD SECTORS OF INDUSTRY

## UNITED KINGDOM

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Digest of Statistics - U.K.

SIC 1980						
	Chemical	Metal	Mech-	Electrical	Instru-	Total
Period	Industry	Manu-	anical	and Elec-	ment En-	Manufac-
		facturing	Engin-	tronic En-	gineering	turing (a)
			eering	gineering		
1978	73.2	78.9	79.6	76.7	77.9	81.6
1979	88.6	91.0	89.4	89.1	88.5	92.2
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	108.7	105.2	105.4	103.3	104.3	109.2
1982	116.0	112.1	113.4	109.9	110.8	117.2
1983	123.4	122.3	117.4	117.2	116.6	125.3
1981-						
July	110.0	105.0	105.3	103.2	104.3	109.3
August	111.6	105.8	106.1	105.1	105.1	109.9
September	112.2	106.6	106.6	105.6	105.6	111.2
October	113.0	107.0	107.3	106.1	106.3	112.5
November	113.7	109.3	107.1	107.0	107.4	114.9
December	114.7	111.3	107.3	108.3	108.1	117.1
1982-						
January	115.4	111.9	111.7	109.4	109.3	118.0
February	115.4	114.1	112.6	110.0	110.1	118.6
March	113.9	112.2	112.9	109.2	109.9	117.4
April	114.0	110.6	112.8	108.8	109.8	116.2
May	113.1	110.0	112.3	108.8	110.1	115.9
June	114.0	108.8	112.3	108.1	110.0	115.6
July	114.7	110.0	113.3	109.1	110.6	115.8
August	115.8	110.0	113.6	109.6	111.1	115.0
September	116.3	110.2	113.7	110.3	111.4	115.4
October	117.2	113.3	113.9	110.7	111.6	116.5
November	119.1	115.7	114.6	112.0	112.3	119.0
December	122.0	119.0	115.5	113.5	113.2	122.8
1983-						
January	123.1	121.7	116.2	115.1	114.4	124.1
February	124.1	124.4	117.1	116.5	115.3	125.4
March	122.8	122.7	116.8	115.7	115.2	124.2
April	122.1	119.4	116.6	116.2	115.6	123.1
May	121.4	119.5	117.0	116.8	116.1	123.8
June	122.0	119.7	116.9	116.8	116.1	124.0
July	121.8	120.5	117.1	117.4	116.4	123.2
August	123.8	122.8	117.5	117.9	116.7	124.6
September	124.9	123.3	117.9	118.1	117.4	126.5
October	124.5	122.2	118.1	118.2	117.8	126.2
November	123.8	123.7	118.3	118.0	118.2	127.4
December	126.0	128.1	119.9	120.0	119.6	131.6
1984-						
January	128.2	130.2	121.8	121.8	121.4	133.5
February	128.8	131.4	122.8	123.0	122.5	134.2
March	127.4	129.2	122.8	122.7	122.5	132.9
April	128.6	129.0	123.8	123.9	123.2	133.8
May	129.7	129.7	124.5	123.9	123.6	134.3
June	129.9	130.2	124.9	124.4	123.8	134.1
July	130.3	131.8	125.5	124.5	124.3	133.8
August	129.8	132.1	125.8	124.9	124.5	132.8
September	133.0	133.7	126.7	125.7	125.2	134.9
October	135.6	136.0	127.7	126.5	125.5	137.5
November	135.7	137.8	128.1	127.6	126.2	138.7

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 15  
INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES  
OUTPUT OF SECTORS OF INDUSTRY  
UNITED KINGDOM

17.

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Digest of Statistics - U.K.

						SIC 1980
Period	Chemical Industry	Metal Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Electrical and Elec- tronic Engineering	Instrument Engineering	Total Manufac- turing (a)
1978	76.3	93.4	77.9	77.4	79.7	79.1
1979	86.5	93.8	87.1	86.9	98.5	87.7
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	106.4	100.4	108.2	106.4	110.2	109.5
1982	113.5	108.0	117.2	111.1	120.2	118.0
1983	119.1	111.0	124.6	116.6	125.5	124.4
1981 -						
June	105.2	99.5	107.7	106.4	110.8	109.7
July	105.8	100.2	108.5	107.0	111.3	110.0
August	106.4	101.4	109.1	107.1	110.9	110.4
September	107.2	101.5	109.6	107.4	110.9	111.2
October	108.6	101.9	110.4	108.3	111.8	112.1
November	109.3	102.9	110.6	108.6	112.5	112.8
December	110.3	104.2	111.2	108.4	112.6	113.5
1982-						
January	111.5	106.4	113.4	108.3	116.9	114.3
February	111.8	107.9	114.5	109.7	118.1	115.7
March	112.5	108.3	115.1	109.6	118.5	116.5
April	113.0	108.2	115.9	110.7	119.0	117.3
May	113.2	108.3	116.4	111.1	119.4	117.7
June	112.8	107.6	117.0	110.9	119.6	117.6
July	113.2	108.0	117.7	111.0	120.6	118.3
August	113.9	108.2	118.2	111.5	120.9	118.6
September	114.4	108.3	118.9	112.2	121.3	119.3
October	114.9	108.0	119.3	113.0	122.0	119.7
November	115.2	108.5	119.5	113.2	122.3	120.0
December	115.5	108.7	120.1	113.5	123.8	120.6
1983-						
January	116.1	108.0	121.3	113.9	123.8	121.2
February	117.0	109.0	121.7	114.2	124.1	121.7
March	117.7	109.8	122.1	114.4	124.4	122.4
April	118.4	110.1	124.0	114.7	124.5	123.6
May	118.7	110.2	124.7	115.9	124.7	124.3
June	118.5	110.8	124.9	116.2	124.3	124.6
July	119.1	111.0	125.3	117.0	126.1	124.7
August	119.3	111.4	125.6	117.6	126.1	124.9
September	119.7	112.2	126.0	118.2	126.3	125.7
October	120.8	113.7	126.3	119.1	127.0	126.2
November	121.5	112.6	126.5	118.8	127.1	126.8
December	121.9	113.4	127.1	119.2	127.3	127.3
1984-						
January	123.0	114.5	128.0	120.1	129.4	128.0
February	123.2	115.1	128.6	120.5	130.3	128.8
March	123.3	115.4	129.3	121.2	130.3	130.3
April	124.3	117.2	129.8	121.8	131.0	131.7
May	125.5	117.3	129.7	122.4	131.3	132.1
June	124.6	119.0	129.7	122.8	131.5	132.2
July	124.9	118.6	130.1	123.6	132.0	132.5
August	125.4	118.7	130.7	123.3	132.2	132.6
September	126.2	119.8	131.3	123.8	132.8	133.3
October	126.7	120.7	131.8	124.0	133.7	134.0
November	127.2	121.1	132.8	124.3	133.8	134.4

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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TABLE 16

18.

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER PRICES - SELECTED COMMODITIES

## UNITED KINGDOM

1980 = 100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) - U.K.

Year	SIC 1980					
	Ordinary Steel	Sheet Piling	Beams and Sections	Hot rolled Coil plate and Sheet	Zinc coated lead coated and other coated sheet	Plate 3 mm and over
1979	94.8	98.7	95.0	96.1	97.6	95.0
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	101.0	106.2	100.6	100.1	100.0	95.1
1982	110.6	116.6	109.0	112.5	109.7	99.2
1983	110.9	121.5	103.8	115.4	119.5	100.2
1984	115.0	125.0	103.2	119.7	121.0	103.2
1982-						
July	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.5	99.3
August	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
September	111.2	116.9	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
October	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
November	110.8	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
December	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1983-						
January	111.3	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
February	111.4	116.8	107.8	112.6	111.6	99.3
March	111.4	116.8	107.8	112.6	111.6	99.3
April	110.2	116.8	106.9	113.6	120.4	99.3
May	110.4	116.8	106.5	116.2	121.0	100.3
June	113.0	123.9	103.9	118.2	121.0	101.1
July	110.6	125.0	102.5	118.2	121.0	101.1
August	110.5	125.0	99.6	118.2	121.0	101.1
September	110.7	125.0	101.0	118.2	121.0	101.1
October	111.6	125.0	101.0	117.9	121.0	100.6
November	111.2	125.0	101.0	113.0	121.0	100.3
December	111.1	125.0	99.6	113.0	121.0	100.3
1984-						
January	112.0	125.0	99.6	113.0	121.0	100.3
February	112.3	125.0	99.6	113.0	121.0	100.3
March	112.5	125.0	100.9	113.0	121.0	100.3
April	113.7	125.0	101.5	118.1	121.0	102.5
May	114.2	125.0	104.4	119.1	121.0	102.5
June	114.6	125.0	104.4	118.1	121.0	102.5
July	115.5	125.0	104.4	121.3	121.0	102.5
August	115.5	125.0	104.4	121.3	121.0	102.5
September	116.5	125.0	104.4	124.7	121.0	106.2
October	117.6	125.0	104.8	125.2	121.0	106.4
November	117.6	125.0	104.8	125.2	121.0	106.4
December	117.6	125.0	104.8	125.2	121.0	106.4

TABLE 16

19.

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER PRICES - SELECTED COMMODITIES

## UNITED KINGDOM - continued

1980 = 100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) - U.K.

SIC 1980

Year	Semis	Steel Tubes	Single Drawn Wire of High Carbon Steel, Whether Covered or Not (Excl. Insulated Electric Wire)	Aluminium Plate, Sheet, Strip Circles and Blanks	Aluminium Extrusions and Tubes (Bars, Rods, Sections etc)	Copper Tubes
1979	92.6	95.2	93.0	87.2	86.4	89.7
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	99.5	103.8	96.3	92.5	98.2	99.1
1982	93.7	118.9	105.5	95.0	98.9	106.1
1983	94.4	108.5	107.6	100.5	106.0	119.7
1984						
1982-						
October	94.4	119.4	105.1	91.7	96.6	106.1
November	94.4	119.5	105.1	95.5	99.3	109.4
December	94.4	119.5	105.1	98.6	100.3	109.8
1983-						
January	94.4	106.0	105.8	95.2	101.1	110.0
February	94.4	108.5	104.7	92.9	95.8	114.3
March	94.4	108.6	105.3	90.9	99.2	117.3
April	94.4	108.6	106.6	96.5	100.3	122.3
May	94.4	108.5	106.6	93.0	100.8	122.7
June	94.4	108.9	106.6	94.1	104.0	121.6
July	94.4	108.9	106.6	102.1	105.2	123.8
August	94.4	108.9	106.6	104.9	106.5	126.0
September	94.4	108.9	110.4	109.6	108.4	122.5
October	94.4	108.9	110.8	109.8	120.5	119.3
November	94.4	109.0	110.8	109.8	115.4	116.5
December	94.4	109.1	110.8	113.7	115.2	119.9
1984-						
January	98.8	109.1	111.7	116.0	117.3	118.3
February	98.8	109.7	112.0	118.6	119.2	117.9
March	98.8	111.1	112.0	121.3	118.4	118.9
April	101.4	112.4	114.3	121.5	118.5	123.2
May	101.4	112.8	115.2	124.1	119.9	123.4
June	101.4	112.8	115.2	126.8	122.6	123.7
July	101.4	115.1	116.5	128.6	123.4	122.6
August	101.4	115.5	116.5	128.6	123.4	123.2
September	101.4	114.2	120.7	130.2	122.2	125.6
October	101.4	115.2	121.7	133.3	121.4	125.4
November	101.4	116.0	121.7	134.2	120.7	128.0
December	101.4	116.0	121.7	134.2	120.7	128.5

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TABLE 17

20.

**COST INDICES FOR THE AEROSPACE AND RADIO, RADAR  
AND ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES - UNITED KINGDOM**

1975=100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) UK

<u>Aerospace Industry (a)</u>						
Period	Aerospace Industry	Airframe Sector	Aero-engine and Aero-engine Parts Sector		Aircraft Component Sector	Radio, Radar and Electronic Capital Goods Industry
			Aero-engine Parts Sector	Aero-engine Parts Sector		
1975	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1976	127.6	126.6	128.4	128.3	128.3	126.4
1977	140.8	140.3	141.7	141.3	140.1	141.6
1978	150.4	149.8	151.6	151.1	149.1	151.9
1979	176.6	175.1	178.7	177.5	174.7	175.7
1980	215.1	214.1	216.5	215.2	213.6	207.5
1981	236.5	236.1	237.3	236.1	235.7	231.8
1982	254.5	254.4	255.0	253.5	251.7	254.1
1983	267.9	268.2	267.7	267.0	266.3	269.3
1981 -						
July	237.6	237.2	238.2	237.1	236.0	234.7
August	239.8	239.4	240.6	239.1	238.3	236.3
September	240.8	240.1	241.9	240.2	238.9	237.2
October	242.5	241.9	243.3	241.6	240.5	240.2
November	243.2	242.9	243.8	242.3	241.1	241.2
December	243.5	243.5	244.1	242.7	241.5	242.2
1982 -						
January	247.5	247.3	248.1	247.4	245.5	245.5
February	249.3	249.1	249.8	249.1	247.4	247.3
March	251.3	250.9	252.1	251.2	249.3	250.2
April	253.1	252.9	253.9	253.0	251.3	252.1
May	253.7	253.5	254.3	253.4	251.8	253.3
June	255.5	255.4	255.9	255.0	253.8	255.5
July	256.6	256.6	256.9	256.0	255.0	257.0
August	256.3	256.2	256.9	251.8	248.3	254.9
September	256.0	256.0	256.4	251.8	248.8	255.4
October	257.5	257.5	257.8	256.9	255.3	258.2
November	258.0	258.1	258.2	257.4	255.9	259.0
December	259.5	259.6	259.7	259.3	257.5	260.8
1983 -						
January	252.9	253.4	252.9	253.1	250.5	252.8
February	261.3	261.3	261.5	261.1	259.3	262.2
March	262.6	262.6	262.7	262.3	260.7	264.4
April	265.8	265.6	266.3	265.5	263.6	267.0
May	267.1	266.9	267.7	266.8	265.2	268.3
June	267.6	267.5	268.0	267.2	265.8	269.8
July	269.0	269.2	269.1	268.3	267.6	271.4
August	268.4	269.0	268.1	267.4	267.0	270.6
September	270.0	270.8	269.3	268.7	268.9	272.4
October	274.0	274.9	273.2	272.2	273.1	276.1
November	276.7	277.6	275.9	274.9	276.0	276.9
December	278.9	279.8	278.0	276.7	278.3	279.5
1984 -						
January	280.5	281.6	279.6	278.5	280.1	279.2
February	283.2	284.3	282.3	281.1	282.8	282.8
March	285.0	286.1	284.0	282.8	284.7	285.0
April	286.2	287.3	285.2	283.7	285.7	287.8
May	287.8	288.6	286.9	285.4	287.4	287.4
June	290.5	291.1	290.0	288.2	290.2	289.6
July	292.2	292.9	291.5	289.6	292.1	291.7
August	292.2	292.8	291.6	289.5	291.8	291.0
September	295.0	295.5	294.2	292.1	294.7	294.1
October	296.0	296.8	295.2	293.0	295.8	295.0

(a) includes all goods purchased, salaries and general expenses.

TABLE 18

21.

INDEX OF AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS FOR  
SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES  
USA

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Labour Review - USA

Period	Chemicals and Allied Products	Fabricated Metal Products	Machinery Except Electrical	Instruments and Related Products	Electrical & Electronic Equipment
1974	58.6	63.0	63.1	61.7	59.7
1975	63.9	67.8	66.3	65.8	65.1
1976	71.1	74.3	71.6	71.9	70.7
1977	77.9	80.6	78.6	78.2	78.4
1978	85.4	86.5	86.0	84.9	84.5
1979	92.5	92.5	92.2	91.5	91.7
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	110.1	109.8	109.9	109.0	109.9
1982	118.2	114.4	112.1	116.4	116.3
1983	127.8	123.1	117.9	124.0	126.3
1981 -					
September	114.9	109.9	110.4	111.3	111.2
October	112.9	112.1	112.2	111.5	111.5
November	113.8	112.2	113.5	113.8	112.7
December	115.6	114.8	116.4	115.4	115.4
1982 -					
January	114.7	107.4	109.9	111.1	109.9
February	115.5	112.2	114.2	115.3	114.5
March	114.7	113.7	113.1	116.5	114.4
April	115.9	112.6	112.1	115.7	113.2
May	116.4	115.1	112.1	118.8	114.1
June	118.0	116.0	112.2	120.1	115.5
July	117.9	114.4	111.4	119.2	115.6
August	119.3	115.0	111.1	121.7	116.5
September	121.9	114.7	112.2	122.0	116.6
October	121.1	115.0	111.6	121.6	117.9
November	122.1	116.5	113.2	123.9	120.0
December	124.0	119.4	116.1	127.0	122.8
1983 -					
January	122.5	117.9	113.5	122.6	122.4
February	123.6	117.7	113.4	122.0	121.6
March	124.3	120.0	115.1	123.6	124.4
April	125.7	121.1	115.6	123.2	124.7
May	126.2	122.0	116.5	123.6	124.8
June	127.5	123.2	118.2	123.3	126.5
July	127.5	121.7	117.8	124.6	126.4
August	127.2	123.8	117.9	124.3	126.3
September	129.7	126.9	121.5	127.6	129.5
October	130.2	126.7	121.9	126.6	129.5
November	132.4	128.3	124.2	127.8	131.2
December	133.7	132.0	128.5	130.2	133.7
1984 -					
January	132.6	128.6	126.4	130.0	132.1
February	132.4	128.9	126.9	130.0	131.8
March	132.7	128.3	127.6	130.8	131.7
April	133.3	129.4	128.1	130.8	131.9
May	133.3	128.9	127.0	129.2	131.6
June	134.0	129.5	128.0	132.2	132.2
July	134.5	126.7	125.4	131.9	130.3
August	134.7	126.9	125.5	131.7	132.0
September	136.9	129.6	128.2	134.6	134.8
October	136.6	128.9	127.3	132.6	134.0
November	138.0	129.5	128.8	134.9	135.9
December	140.0	134.6	132.8	138.3	139.2
1985 -					
January	136.9	130.3	128.6	132.7	137.2

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TABLE 19

22.

**AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS FOR SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES  
USA (\$US)**

Source: (1) Monthly Labour Review (USA)  
(2) Shipbuilders Council of America

Period	Contract Construction	Durable Goods	Shipbuilding and Repair
1974	249.08	190.88	201.60
1975	265.35	205.09	218.80
1976	283.36	226.55	237.01
1977	295.29	248.46	250.19
1978	318.69	270.44	271.52
1979	342.99	290.90	302.97
1980	367.78	310.78	349.25
1981	399.26	343.31	382.58
1982	426.82	355.27	408.31
1983	443.42	381.77	429.65
1981 -			
June	395.81	346.72	366.68
July	407.86	342.80	375.87
August	408.41	345.32	383.66
September	396.31	346.26	381.35
October	419.62	350.07	409.78
November	414.79	351.68	407.06
December	417.75	356.73	409.03
1982 -			
January	385.95	336.28	350.55
February	406.39	352.93	390.66
March	419.21	352.84	397.20
April	415.44	350.45	400.79
May	431.63	356.29	407.64
June	430.13	360.99	401.60
July	440.42	357.50	404.54
August	438.42	356.33	413.60
September	433.21	357.63	418.08
October	440.75	357.90	421.30
November	423.09	363.13	446.37
December	440.13	371.45	447.26
1983 -			
January	440.96	367.62	440.91
February	424.80	366.81	404.62
March	434.98	372.53	435.23
April	436.73	375.19	419.89
May	442.98	376.12	416.33
June	446.08	381.07	422.54
July	450.76	378.95	426.37
August	450.68	378.39	410.55
September	456.32	390.70	423.96
October	449.84	391.11	428.53
November	432.33	395.50	467.32
December	442.34	403.20	459.50
1984			
January	438.50	398.13	464.94
February	443.63	398.68	-
March	439.30	399.92	-
April	448.13	402.27	-
May	458.02	399.92	-
June	460.88	402.14	-
July	462.04	396.73	-
August	462.39	396.98	-
September	467.78	405.46	-
October	461.32	403.09	-
November	448.80	406.96	-
December	457.22	419.47	-

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TABLE 20

23.

INDEX OF STRAIGHT-TIME AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS  
FOR SELECTED SHIPYARDS, ALL REGIONS  
USA

September 1980 = 100

Source: Shipbuilders Council of America

Year	Average
1978	80.5
1979	88.7
1980	97.9
1981	106.8
1982	116.5
1983	123.0

Month	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
January	75.5	85.6	92.6	102.0	113.6	121.3	127.6
February	78.7	86.9	93.5	103.0	114.4	121.8	127.0
March	79.0	87.0	95.8	103.3	114.5	121.9	126.9
April	79.3	86.6	96.0	103.5	114.6	121.8	126.6
May	79.6	87.0	96.4	104.1	114.3	121.9	126.0
June	79.5	86.9	96.9	104.8	114.1	121.3	125.7
July	80.3	88.4	98.7	106.4	116.4	122.6	126.4
August	81.2	89.9	100.0	109.0	117.4	122.7	126.7
September	81.6	90.6	100.0	110.0	119.1	123.2	126.8
October	82.6	91.2	101.5	110.7	120.0	124.2	
November	83.3	91.7	101.7	111.8	120.0	126.3	
December	84.5	92.0	101.1	112.4	120.6	127.0	

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TABLE 21

24.

INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES  
USA

1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Labour Review (USA)

Period	Chemicals and Allied Products	Metals and Metal Products	Iron and Steel	Non- Ferrous Metals	Plumbing Fixtures and Brass Fittings	Machinery and Equipment	Electrical Machinery and Equipment
1975	181.3	185.6	200.9	171.6	162.3	161.4	140.7
1976	187.0	195.8	215.8	181.5	174.1	170.9	146.6
1977	192.7	209.0	230.3	195.4	186.6	181.7	154.1
1978	198.8	227.1	253.6	207.8	199.1	196.1	164.9
1979	222.3	259.3	283.5	261.7	217.1	213.9	178.9
1980	260.3	286.2	305.1	305.0	246.7	239.8	201.7
1981	287.6	300.4	333.8	285.8	267.5	263.3	220.2
1982	292.3	301.6	339.1	263.6	278.7	278.8	231.6
1983	293.0	307.2	343.4	276.1	289.3	286.4	240.1
1984	300.9	316.0	357.0	277.0	300.6	293.1	248.6
1982 -							
January	292.9	304.7	343.1	274.4	274.6	274.1	228.7
February	293.6	304.2	342.9	273.6	276.4	275.4	229.5
March	294.6	302.9	342.5	267.2	279.1	276.2	230.3
April	294.3	303.1	342.8	266.1	280.3	277.6	231.7
May	295.0	302.8	341.3	263.6	281.0	278.2	231.3
June	293.3	299.3	338.3	253.4	282.6	278.6	231.5
July	291.6	299.5	337.5	256.4	283.3	279.6	231.6
August	291.6	299.2	337.1	255.7	274.6	279.3	231.8
September	290.7	301.8	336.5	265.1	277.1	280.2	231.7
October	289.9	301.6	337.6	262.9	277.8	281.1	232.6
November	290.5	300.5	335.9	261.7	278.3	281.8	233.7
December	289.6	299.9	332.8	263.2	279.2	282.4	234.2
1983 -							
January	289.3	300.3	333.3	267.0	280.6	283.3	235.2
February	290.5	304.7	339.9	275.8	283.5	284.3	237.2
March	289.8	304.4	341.6	270.6	285.6	284.7	237.5
April	291.3	304.6	341.5	271.8	287.7	285.4	238.4
May	291.1	306.1	340.9	277.7	289.1	286.0	238.5
June	290.8	306.3	341.3	275.7	290.8	286.2	238.8
July	293.7	307.3	342.1	278.4	290.4	287.4	241.7
August	294.4	308.2	343.2	279.8	290.2	287.4	241.7
September	295.9	310.7	348.1	282.0	292.4	287.9	242.9
October	295.5	310.9	348.5	279.3	292.7	287.6	242.6
November	296.4	310.9	349.5	276.6	294.1	288.3	242.8
December	297.7	311.9	350.9	279.2	294.0	288.3	243.8
1984 -							
January	298.1	312.9	353.8	276.8	293.9	289.7	244.7
February	296.5	314.8	356.2	280.2	296.4	290.2	245.7
March	300.1	316.8	356.5	286.1	299.9	291.0	246.7
April	302.0	317.9	356.5	289.1	301.5	292.2	247.7
May	302.7	317.4	357.3	284.1	301.6	292.6	248.1
June	302.2	317.3	357.0	282.8	302.4	293.1	249.1
July	302.6	316.1	357.4	277.0	302.8	294.0	249.4
August	301.1	316.2	357.4	275.3	304.6	294.1	249.4
September	300.9	315.6	357.9	271.8	304.4	294.3	249.8
October	301.0	315.4	358.9	266.1	300.6	295.0	250.4
November	301.6	316.2	357.7	269.5	301.4	295.7	251.2
December	301.0	315.3	357.4	265.6	302.7	295.6	251.5
1985 -							
January	301.7	314.3	357.4	262.8	306.4	296.7	252.2

TABLE 22

INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES FOR THE OUTPUT OF SELECTED COMMODITIES  
UNITED STATES  
JUNE 1982 = 100

Source: Monthly Producer Prices and Price Indexes (USA)

Year	Steel Ingot and Semi-finished Shapes and Forms	Hot Rolled Sheet and Strip	Hot Rolled Bars and Bar Shapes, Plates Structural Shapes		Steel Pipe and Tubes	Cold Rolled Steel Sheet and Strip	Cold Finished Steel Bars
1982 -							
January	99.9	100.7	99.2	99.4	99.8	101.2	99.3
February	100.0	105.4	98.1	89.7	106.4	101.2	97.9
March							
April	99.6	101.4	99.0	100.0	99.7	101.2	97.9
May	99.5	101.6	97.6	100.0	99.7	101.2	97.9
June	99.4	101.2	95.9	94.0	99.7	101.2	97.9
July							
August	99.4	101.2	95.8	93.1	99.6	97.9	97.9
September	100.4	104.9	98.0	90.3	104.7	97.9	97.9
October	100.2	104.3	97.6	89.7	104.5	97.9	97.9
November	99.8	104.4	97.3	89.4	104.5	97.4	97.4
December	99.7	104.4	97.5	89.4	104.5	97.4	97.4
1983 -							
January	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
February	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
March	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
April	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
May	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
June	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
July	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
August	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
September	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
October	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
November	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
December	99.8	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4	97.4
1984 -							
January	100.3	109.6	99.2	89.1	112.9	104.9	104.9
February	98.6	109.9	99.8	89.1	113.0	104.9	104.9
March	98.6	109.9	99.8	89.1	113.0	104.9	104.9
April	100.0	110.1	99.5	89.1	113.0	104.9	104.9
May	100.0	110.3	99.6	89.8	113.0	104.9	104.9
June	99.8	110.4	100.2	89.8	113.1	104.9	104.9
July	101.4	110.6	102.3	89.8	113.0	104.9	104.9
August	101.0	110.5	102.5	89.8	112.9	104.9	104.9
September	101.0	110.6	102.2	89.8	112.8	104.9	104.9
October	100.9	112.1	101.8	89.8	112.8	104.9	104.9
November	100.7	112.1	101.0	89.8	112.8	104.9	104.9

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INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES FOR THE OUTPUT OF SELECTED COMMODITIES  
UNITED STATES - continued  
JUNE 1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Producer Prices and Price Indexes (USA)

Year	Refined Copper	Aluminum Ingot	Copper and Alloy Sheet, Strip and Plate (a)	Aluminum Plate (b)	Aluminum Sheet (b)	Aluminum Extruded and Drawn Tube (c)	Extruded Aluminum Rod, Bar and Other (c)
1982	80.6	72.1 (d)	98.9	102.9	102.5	101.1	98.3
1983	85.4		104.7	104.8	104.6	103.2	100.9
1983 -							
January	84.2	(d)	102.9	101.5	101.6	99.6	94.9
February	89.4	(d)	105.0	101.5	100.8	99.6	95.1
March	87.4	(d)	103.8	101.5	100.7	99.6	95.1
April	88.2	(d)	104.1	99.5	100.4	99.8	96.0
May	91.7	(d)	106.1	100.5	103.0	100.4	97.5
June	88.2	93.2	105.9	101.9	103.0	100.7	98.0
July	88.7	92.8	105.7	105.2	104.6	103.2	101.5
August	88.7	97.7	105.8	106.6	105.6	103.8	102.7
September	85.5	108.3	105.2	108.7	106.3	107.3	106.1
October	82.2	108.4	103.9	108.7	107.5	107.7	107.3
November	75.1	104.5	102.8	111.2	109.8	107.5	108.4
December	75.3	105.5	105.1	111.2	111.5	109.2	108.6
1984 -							
January	74.0	106.9	105.0	113.0	112.2	110.4	109.1
February	75.1	109.6	104.9	113.0	113.5	112.1	109.4
March	79.9	107.9	105.9	114.3	116.2	112.1	109.4
April	81.9	108.0	108.5	117.2	117.3	110.5	109.5
May	78.1	105.3	106.3	117.2	117.5	110.6	109.4
June	76.1	98.4	105.9	117.2	117.4	110.7	109.9
July	72.8	95.1	104.2	117.2	117.6	110.5	109.8
August	71.2	90.5	103.7	117.2	117.3	109.9	107.8
September	73.5	87.0	103.9	117.2	116.9	109.9	107.3
October	69.0	84.4	102.8	117.2	116.3	109.7	107.2
November	-	84.5	104.6	117.2	116.2	109.4	106.6

(a) New series from December 1980. (b) New series from June 1981. (c) New series from December 1981. (d) Not available.

TABLE 23

27.

**MATERIAL INDEX FOR NAVSHIPS STEEL VESSEL CONTRACTS  
USA**

1967 = 100

Source: Shipbuilders Council of America

Year	Average
1963	93.9
1964	94.7
1965	95.2
1966	97.7
1967	100.0
1968	102.1
1969	106.4
1970	113.3
1971	118.9
1972	123.3
1973	128.9
1974	159.6
1975	182.9
1976	195.0
1977	207.5
1978	225.5
1979	249.0
1980	273.4
1981	298.7
1982	308.9
1983	313.8

Month	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
January	214.6	238.8	262.8	288.5	308.7	308.2	320.2
February	218.3	240.7	265.6	289.6	309.3	311.7	321.5
March	220.2	244.2	268.0	293.0	309.5	312.5	322.1
April	222.8	245.4	272.5	295.3	310.1	312.7	322.8
May	223.7	245.9	272.3	295.7	309.8	312.6	323.3
June	224.7	248.1	272.7	296.2	308.4	312.8	323.6
July	226.0	250.9	272.3	301.9	308.5	313.6	324.0
August	228.6	251.2	273.8	303.3	308.4	313.8	324.2
September	229.2	251.9	275.9	304.1	308.2	316.3	324.6
October	230.7	254.9	279.8	305.4	309.2	316.3	325.5
November	232.7	256.8	281.6	305.4	308.8	317.1	
December	234.1	258.8	284.0	306.2	307.7	318.4	

TABLE 24

28.

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
NEW ZEALAND

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earnings \$NZ	Index 1980 = 100
1973	1.92	36.5
1974	2.22	42.2
1975	2.54	48.3
1976	2.91	55.3
1977	3.34	63.5
1978	3.83	72.8
1979	4.42	84.0
1980	5.26	100.0
1981	6.29	119.6
1982	7.18	136.5
1983	7.32	139.2
1978-		
April	3.74	71.0
October	3.92	74.4
1979-		
April	4.35	82.6
October	4.49	85.3
1980-		
May	4.91	93.3
August	5.16	98.1
1981-		
February	5.99	113.9
May	6.29	119.6
August	6.32	120.2
November	6.55	124.6
1982-		
February	7.00	133.2
May	7.36	140.1
August	6.95	132.2
November	6.99	133.0
1983-		
May	7.08	134.7
August	7.11	135.3
November	7.18	136.6
1984 -		
May	7.43	141.3

TABLE 25

29.

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
CANADA

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earning \$	Index 1980 = 100
1974	4.37	53.5
1975	5.06	61.9
1976	5.76	70.5
1977	6.38	78.1
1978	6.84	83.7
1979	7.44	91.0
1980	8.19	100.0
1981	9.17	112.0
1982	10.25	125.2
1983	10.59	129.3
1982-		
January	9.86	120.2
February	9.91	120.8
March	10.02	122.1
April	10.12	123.3
May	10.16	123.8
June	10.22	124.5
July	10.28	125.2
August	10.30	125.4
September	10.40	127.0
October	10.50	128.2
November	10.55	128.8
December	10.62	129.7
1983-		
January	10.71	130.8
February	10.70	130.7
March	10.41	127.1
April	10.46	127.7
May	10.49	128.1
June	10.52	128.5
July	10.52	128.5
August	10.53	128.6
September	10.63	129.8
October	10.69	130.6
November	10.78	131.7
December	10.87	132.8
1984-		
January	11.03	134.7
February	10.95	133.7
March	11.05	134.9
April	11.14	136.0
May	11.13	135.9
June	11.13	135.9
July	11.18	136.5
August	-	-
September	11.25	137.4
October	11.23	137.1

TABLE 26

30.

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES  
CANADA

RAW MATERIALS 1977 = 100

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS 1975 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Raw Materials	Industrial Products
1979	135	142
1980	155	161
1981	185	177
1982	200	188
1983	210	194
1982-		
June	200	189
July	205	189
August	202	189
September	203	190
October	201	190
November	201	190
December	202	190
1983-		
January	207	190
February	209	191
March	208	192
April	211	193
May	211	189
June	211	195
July	210	195
August	212	196
September	211	196
October	211	196
November	211	196
December	212	197
1984 -		
January	214	198
February	216	199
March	218	201
April	218	202
May	218	202
June	218	202
July	217	203
August	-	-
September	-	-
October	213	203
November	221	204

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TABLE 27  
INDEX OF INDUSTRY SELLING PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

CANADA

1971 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Industry Price Indexes - Canada

Year	Commodities Produced in Iron and Steel Mills				Structural Steel Shapes		Hof Rolled Sheets and Strips	Total(a)
	Steel Castings	Pig Iron	Heavy	Light	Light	Heavy		
1977	204.2	244.6	177.7	185.1	186.4		187.9	
1978	215.9	260.4	199.6	198.2	203.1		203.9	
1979	255.6	297.7	236.2	230.9	225.1		233.7	
1980	292.6	324.7	266.9	289.7	249.3		261.7	
1981	320.0	343.8	290.9	297.4	281.6		290.3	
1982	344.8	355.9	302.9	298.5	306.5		314.2	
1983	365.3	363.3	301.3	316.2	319.2		319.2	
1984	383.9	364.9	304.5	313.8	330.6		326.1	
1983- January	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2		316.7	
February	358.5	364.4	302.7	299.8	307.2		316.5	
March	358.5	364.4	302.7	299.8	307.2		316.0	
April	358.5	364.4	303.2	299.8	307.2		316.0	
May	358.5	364.4	303.5	299.8	307.2		317.0	
June	370.2	364.4	303.6	299.8	322.1		321.5	
July	370.2	366.4	303.5	299.8	322.1		321.6	
August	370.2	361.3	303.5	299.8	322.1		321.5	
September	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	322.1		320.4	
October	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	321.3		221.1	
November	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	323.4		321.1	
December	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	323.4		321.1	
1984 - January	380.3	361.3	303.5	315.5	323.4		322.7	
February	380.3	361.3	303.5	315.5	323.4		322.9	
March	380.3	361.3	303.5	315.5	323.4		322.9	
April	380.3	361.3	305.1	315.5	323.1		324.1	
May	380.3	361.3	305.1	315.5	323.1		324.9	
June	385.6	361.3	305.1	315.5	324.0		325.3	
July	385.6	368.5	304.6	312.1	337.8		328.4	
August	385.6	368.5	304.6	312.1	337.8		328.3	
September	385.6	368.5	304.6	312.1	337.8		328.4	
October	385.6	368.5	304.6	312.1	337.8		328.6	
November	388.8	368.5	304.6	312.1	337.8		328.7	
December	388.8	368.5	304.6	312.1	337.8		328.4	

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 27  
INDEX OF INDUSTRY SELLING PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

CANADA - continued

1971 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Industry Price Indexes - Canada

Year	Steel Pipe and Tube Mills Products	Iron Foundry Products	Smelting and Refining Products		Aluminum Rolling, Casting and Extruding Products	Copper and Copper Alloy Rolling, Casting and Extruding
			Refined Copper	Total(a)		
1978	218.0	200.1	147.1	220.6	191.5	153.0
1979	248.1	223.3	215.7	303.9	234.0	201.8
1980	276.9	243.2	238.7	397.8	271.0	219.7
1981	322.1	261.8	203.7	365.5	292.6	205.8
1982	362.6	268.9	180.7	327.9	290.7	193.0
1983	359.7	272.4	189.5	347.6	291.7	206.3
1984	363.7	273.6	168.1	342.4	335.1	192.7
1983- January	363.3	271.1	195.9	339.7	276.6	199.5
February	359.1	271.0	200.5	347.0	270.7	207.2
March	358.0	273.0	192.8	334.9	270.7	208.5
April	358.8	272.9	200.9	352.4	275.1	207.4
May	358.8	273.0	208.2	355.8	279.5	212.2
June	360.0	373.3	197.3	330.2	279.5	214.5
July	360.0	274.6	196.8	345.7	289.9	213.1
August	360.2	274.6	193.1	353.4	293.7	210.7
September	360.2	275.2	185.3	350.0	298.4	209.8
October	359.8	270.9	172.8	350.3	315.7	201.4
November	359.8	269.0	162.9	353.0	320.9	196.2
December	358.0	269.8	167.5	358.8	330.2	195.0
1984 - January	360.1	271.4	162.0	348.3	331.9	194.2
February	360.1	272.5	170.0	355.4	331.9	189.4
March	360.1	272.8	182.2	369.4	332.2	194.1
April	360.1	273.0	186.1	365.2	339.7	201.6
May	360.1	272.7	173.4	360.7	339.6	198.9
June	360.1	273.9	170.2	356.7	340.4	197.6
July	366.0	273.8	164.2	344.6	340.3	194.1
August	367.5	274.0	163.4	329.7	340.2	191.6
September	367.5	274.5	158.4	321.6	340.1	189.8
October	367.5	274.7	156.5	317.0	333.4	186.0
November	367.5	274.8	167.1	320.1	330.4	186.1
December	367.5	274.8	163.4	320.2	321.3	188.6

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 28

33.

INDEX OF AND MONTHLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
JAPAN

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Monthly Earnings '000 Yen	Index 1980 = 100
1975	163.7	66.9
1976	183.6	75.1
1977	200.8	82.1
1978	214.6	87.7
1979	227.8	93.1
1980	244.6	100.0
1981	259.7	106.2
1982	269.6	110.2
1983	279.1	114.1
1982 -		
January	206.0	84.2
February	199.7	81.6
March	201.8	82.5
April	201.2	82.3
May	208.9	85.4
June	318.3	130.3
July	422.9	172.9
August	246.0	100.6
September	206.3	84.3
October	206.5	84.4
November	214.6	87.7
December	599.0	244.9
1983-		
January	211.6	86.5
February	205.6	84.1
March	209.6	85.7
April	211.8	86.6
May	213.3	87.2
June	337.2	137.9
July	443.1	181.2
August	240.9	98.5
September	215.1	88.0
October	215.4	88.1
November	227.5	93.0
December	615.6	251.7
1984 -		
January	221.3	90.5
February	216.6	88.6
March	221.3	90.5
April	222.3	91.1
May	224.6	91.8
June	353.9	144.7
July	468.1	191.4
August	246.0	100.6
September	225.2	92.1



TABLE 29

34.

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES  
JAPAN

1975 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (UN)

Year	Raw Materials	Producers' Materials	Consumers' Goods
1980	158	167	121
1981	163	168	124
1982	175	171	125
1983	161	166	125
1982 -			
June	167	170	125
July	170	171	125
August	171	172	125
September	173	173	126
October	183	173	126
November	182	173	126
December	172	171	126
1983 -			
January	167	169	125
February	168	169	125
March	164	168	125
April	163	166	124
May	158	165	125
June	158	166	125
July	158	166	125
August	161	166	125
September	161	166	125
October	157	164	125
November	157	165	126
December	157	165	126
1984 -			
January	157	165	126
February	157	165	126
March	155	165	126
April	155	164	126
May	156	165	126
June	155	164	126
July	157	165	126
August	157	165	126
September	158	166	126
October	158	165	125

TABLE 30

35.

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

## JAPAN

1980 = 100

Source: Price Indexes Annual - Bank of Japan

Year	Electrical Machinery	Iron and Steel	Pig Iron	Steel Sections	Steel Plates	Hot Rolled Steel Sheets, Hoops and Strips
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	100.6	99.2	101.7	94.1	101.8	102.3
1982	99.5	99.4	101.1	93.0	102.8	104.2
1983	97.9	99.5	98.5	91.5	105.8	107.3
1984	97.0	99.6	97.7	92.1	105.6	107.4
1982 -						
January	100.2	98.2	101.7	92.9	101.4	102.2
February	100.1	98.5	101.7	92.3	101.4	102.2
March	100.0	98.7	101.0	92.7	101.5	102.2
April	99.7	98.9	101.0	92.9	101.6	102.3
May	99.6	98.8	101.0	92.8	101.6	102.3
June	99.4	98.6	101.0	92.4	101.6	102.2
July	99.5	98.6	101.0	92.1	101.6	102.2
August	99.5	100.0	101.0	93.4	101.7	105.2
September	99.2	100.4	101.0	94.6	103.9	107.4
October	99.1	100.7	101.0	94.5	106.1	107.3
November	99.0	100.8	101.0	93.7	105.9	107.3
December	98.8	100.4	101.0	91.5	105.7	107.2
1983 -						
January	98.8	100.0	101.0	89.7	105.7	107.2
February	98.6	99.4	101.0	88.9	105.8	107.3
March	98.4	99.1	101.0	89.3	105.8	107.3
April	98.2	99.2	97.7	90.0	105.7	107.3
May	97.9	99.3	97.7	90.2	105.6	107.3
June	97.8	99.3	97.7	89.9	105.6	107.3
July	97.7	99.4	97.7	90.1	105.7	107.3
August	97.6	99.3	97.7	90.5	105.7	107.3
September	97.6	99.5	97.7	93.2	105.7	107.3
October	97.6	99.7	97.7	95.1	105.8	107.3
November	97.2	99.7	97.7	95.7	106.2	107.4
December	97.0	99.6	97.7	95.2	106.3	107.4
1984 -						
January	96.8	99.7	97.7	95.1	106.1	107.4
February	96.8	100.1	97.7	95.2	105.9	107.4
March	96.9	100.1	97.7	94.7	105.8	107.4
April	96.9	99.7	97.7	92.9	105.5	107.3
May	97.0	99.4	97.7	91.1	105.5	107.3
June	96.9	99.1	97.7	88.6	105.4	107.3
July	96.9	99.3	97.7	89.8	105.5	107.3
August	97.0	99.2	97.7	89.8	105.5	107.4
September	97.0	99.6	97.7	92.0	105.6	107.4
October	97.1	99.7	97.7	92.3	105.6	107.4
November	97.1	99.7	97.7	91.9	105.5	107.4
December	97.0	99.6	97.7	91.9	105.5	107.4

TABLE 30

36.

## INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

## JAPAN - continued

1980 = 100

Source: Price Indexes Annual - Bank of Japan

Year	Steel Pipes and Tubes	Structural Steel	Copper Ingot	Aluminium Ingot	Copper and Brass Products	Aluminium and Aluminium Alloy Rolled Products
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	101.5	99.9	79.4	99.5	85.5	97.9
1982	102.5	97.3	76.3	99.5	82.1	96.0
1983	102.7	93.1	77.7	99.5	81.2	97.6
1984	103.3	93.5	70.2	94.4	83.6	99.8
1982 -						
January	101.9	98.9	75.2	99.5	83.0	95.8
February	102.1	97.4	77.9	99.5	83.1	95.7
March	102.1	97.3	76.2	99.5	82.7	95.5
April	102.0	97.3	76.3	99.5	82.6	95.5
May	101.7	97.3	75.9	99.5	82.3	95.5
June	101.4	97.3	69.3	99.5	79.2	95.5
July	101.1	97.3	75.1	99.5	80.8	96.1
August	102.3	97.2	77.7	99.5	82.2	96.1
September	103.7	96.9	77.1	99.5	82.7	96.1
October	104.4	96.8	80.0	99.5	82.8	96.5
November	104.0	96.7	79.7	99.5	82.9	96.5
December	103.5	96.6	74.7	99.5	80.7	96.5
1983 -						
January	103.2	96.5	74.2	99.5	80.4	96.6
February	102.8	92.6	79.0	99.5	81.2	95.7
March	102.7	92.6	77.8	99.5	80.6	95.7
April	102.5	92.6	79.6	99.5	80.5	95.7
May	102.4	92.8	83.7	99.5	81.7	95.7
June	102.3	92.8	83.1	99.5	82.0	96.5
July	102.3	92.8	82.8	99.5	81.8	96.5
August	102.3	92.8	81.5	99.5	81.5	96.9
September	102.4	92.9	78.4	99.5	81.3	97.8
October	102.6	93.0	71.5	99.5	81.0	101.0
November	103.0	93.0	69.6	99.5	80.7	101.5
December	103.3	93.2	71.5	99.5	81.4	101.5
1984 -						
January	103.7	93.5	70.2	99.5	81.8	101.5
February	103.7	93.5	70.4	99.5	82.5	101.5
March	103.7	93.5	72.0	99.5	83.7	101.5
April	103.5	93.5	75.2	99.5	85.2	101.4
May	103.3	93.5	70.3	99.5	85.1	101.1
June	103.0	93.5	69.0	99.5	84.6	101.1
July	102.9	93.5	69.6	93.1	83.8	100.6
August	103.0	93.5	69.6	91.7	83.7	100.4
September	103.1	93.5	68.8	85.3	83.4	99.2
October	103.1	93.5	67.7	86.0	82.9	96.1
November	103.1	93.4	69.6	90.3	83.1	97.5
December	103.0	93.4	69.6	89.2	83.2	97.2

TABLE 31

37.

## INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

## FRANCE

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Hourly Earnings (Francs)	Index 1980 = 10
1973	7.05	38.
1974	8.39	45.
1975	9.82	53.
1976	10.94	61.
1977	12.40	68.
1978	13.98	77.
1979	15.78	87.
1980	18.14	100.
1981	20.72	114.
1982	23.97	132.
1983	26.70	147.
1978-		
March	13.67	75.
June	14.25	79.
September	14.67	80.
December	15.50	86.
1979-		
March	15.49	85.
June	16.00	88.
September	16.58	91.
December	17.14	94.
1980-		
March	17.79	98.
June	18.50	102.
September	19.12	105.
December	19.68	109.
1981-		
March	20.21	111.
June	21.07	116.
September	21.92	120.
December	22.80	125.
1982-		
March	23.86	131.
June	24.59	135.
September	24.62	135.
December	25.63	141.
1983 -		
January	25.63	141.
April	26.43	145.
July	27.10	149.
October	27.64	152.
1984-		
January	28.19	155.
April	28.61	157.
July	29.14	160.
October	29.49	162.

TABLE 32

38.

## INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

## GERMANY F.R.

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Hourly Earnings	Index 1980 = 100
	(D'Marks)	
1973	8.03	60.9
1974	8.94	67.8
1975	9.69	73.5
1976	10.35	79.5
1977	11.14	84.5
1978	11.73	89.0
1979	12.36	93.8
1980	13.18	100.0
1981	13.92	105.6
1982	14.64	111.1
1983	15.14	114.9
1977-		
January	10.71	81.3
April	11.10	84.2
July	11.27	85.5
October	11.26	85.4
1978-		
January	11.27	85.5
April	11.65	88.4
July	11.89	90.2
October	11.85	89.9
1979-		
January	12.01	91.1
April	12.36	93.8
July	12.46	94.5
October	12.44	94.4
1980-		
January	12.54	95.1
April	13.17	99.9
July	13.34	101.2
October	13.34	101.2
1981-		
January	13.45	102.0
April	13.70	103.9
July	14.06	106.7
October	14.13	107.2
1982-		
January	14.24	108.0
April	14.61	110.8
July	14.74	111.8
October	14.74	111.8
1983-		
January	14.78	112.1
April	15.13	114.8
July	15.23	115.5
October	15.24	115.6
1984-		
January	15.22	115.4
April	15.32	116.2
July	15.59	118.3

TABLE 33

39.

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES

## NETHERLANDS

1975 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Producers' Materials	Industrial Products	Capital Goods
1979	119	121	118
1980	142	136	123
1981	171	155	130
1982	176	165	136
1983	175	166	139
1982-			
June	178	166	136
July	179	166	136
August	178	166	136
September	178	166	137
October	180	166	137
November	180	166	137
December	177	165	137
1983-			
January	176	165	139
February	174	164	139
March	170	164	139
April	173	164	138
May	173	164	139
June	174	165	138
July	173	165	139
August	174	166	139
September	176	167	139
October	178	169	139
November	179	169	139
December	179	170	139
1984-			
January	187	173	141
February	186	174	141
March	184	174	141
April	186	175	141
May	188	175	141
June	187	-	141
July	189	-	142
August	189	-	142
September	189	-	142

TABLE 34

40.

INDEX OF AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS OF MALE EMPLOYEES  
NETHERLANDS  
1972 = 100

Source: Maandschrift

Period	Employees Employed in -	
	Private Enterprise	Government
1974	131	128
1975	151	147
1976	165	160
1977	177	171
1978	189	181
1979	200	187
1980	209	192
1981	217	190
1982	233	195
1983	238	188
1982-		
January	230	195
February	230	195
March	230	195
April	230	195
May	230	195
June	230	195
July	235	195
August	235	195
September	235	195
October	235	195
November	235	195
December	235	195
1983-		
January	238	188
February	238	188
March	238	188
April	238	188
May	238	188
June	238	188
July	239	187
August	239	187
September	239	187
October	239	187
November	239	187
December	239	187
1984-		
January	239	185
February	239	185
March	239	185
April	239	185
May	239	185

TABLE 35

41.

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING  
SWEDEN

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earnings (Krona)	Index 1980 = 100
1974	20.30	62.1
1975	23.79	72.8
1976	24.09	73.7
1977	25.70	78.7
1978	27.94	85.5
1979	30.11	92.2
1980	32.67	100.0
1981	36.24	110.9
1982	39.08	119.6
1983	41.53	127.1
1982-		
January	37.76	115.6
February	37.81	115.7
March	38.22	117.0
April	39.31	120.3
May	39.84	121.9
June	39.14	119.8
July	39.90	122.1
August	39.01	119.4
September	39.24	120.1
October	39.44	120.7
November	39.36	120.5
December	39.88	122.1
1983-		
January	40.02	122.5
February	39.84	121.9
March	39.65	121.4
April	40.79	124.9
May	41.86	128.1
June	41.89	128.2
July	42.87	131.2
August	41.49	127.0
September	42.08	128.8
October	42.43	129.9
November	42.46	130.0
December	43.00	131.6
1984 -		
January	42.91	131.3
February	42.84	131.1
March	43.06	131.8
April	44.03	134.7
May	45.03	137.8
June	46.46	142.2
July	46.61	142.7
August	45.61	139.6
September	46.40	142.0



TABLE 36

42.

INDEX OF SELECTED HOME MARKET  
PRODUCER PRICES

## SWEDEN

1980 = 100

Source: Main Economic Indicators (OECD)

Year	Manufactured Goods	Chemicals	Basic Metals	Metal Products
1980	100	100	100	100
1981	110	117	102	107
1982	125	134	116	120
1983	139	150	129	135
1981 -				
September	112	118	102	108
December	116	125	106	111
1982 -				
March	120	129	113	115
June	122	127	116	118
September	124	132	116	119
December	132	147	118	127
1983 -				
January	135	149	121	130
February	135	145	122	132
March	135	143	124	133
April	136	145	126	134
May	137	146	128	134
June	138	148	129	135
July	140	149	131	136
August	141	152	133	136
September	141	153	133	137
October	142	154	133	137
November	143	155	133	138
December	144	156	133	138
1984				
January	146	158	135	139
February	147	159	136	141
March	148	158	136	141
April	148	157	138	142
May	149	157	138	142
June	149	158	140	142
July	150	158	140	143
August	151	159	140	143
September	152	162	140	144
October	153	162	141	144
November	153	163	142	145

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TABLE 37

43.

## INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ALL ITEMS

## VARIOUS COUNTRIES

1970 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (United Nations)

Year	Australia	United Kingdom	United States	Canada	New Zealand
1974	141.5	148.4	127.0	128.6	142.1
1975	162.8	184.4	138.6	142.5	162.8
1976	184.9	214.9	146.6	153.2	190.4
1977	207.6	249.0	156.1	165.4	217.8
1978	224.0	269.6	167.9	180.2	243.8
1979	244.3	305.8	187.2	196.7	277.1
1980	269.2	360.8	212.2	216.7	324.7
1981	295.3	403.6	234.2	243.9	374.7
1982	328.1	438.3	248.6	270.2	434.9
1983	361.3	458.4	256.6	285.9	467.1
1977- March	200.7	240.5	153.2	161.5	204.3
June	205.5	251.2	156.3	164.9	214.1
September	209.5	254.0	158.2	168.1	221.7
December	214.5	255.7	160.0	172.0	229.6
1978- March	217.2	262.4	163.1	175.7	234.5
June	221.7	269.8	167.9	180.1	240.7
September	226.0	273.9	171.2	182.6	246.7
December	231.1	279.4	174.5	186.5	253.1
1979- March	235.0	298.1	180.0	192.0	258.9
June	241.3	300.4	186.5	196.1	270.6
September	246.8	319.0	192.3	200.1	289.1
December	254.2	327.5	197.8	204.7	294.9
1980- March	259.8	345.0	206.3	209.9	297.2
June	267.2	363.5	213.1	215.9	319.1
September	227.1	369.6	216.6	221.6	330.6
December	277.8	377.0	222.4	227.7	342.5
1981- March	284.4	388.5	228.4	236.0	353.1
June	290.7	404.7	233.4	243.6	367.1
September	296.8	411.8	240.0	249.4	381.5
December	309.1	422.5	241.7	255.1	396.2
1982- March	314.3	428.7	242.9	263.3	408.9
June	321.9	441.7	249.4	271.0	429.5
September	333.2	441.7	251.8	275.2	444.9
December	342.9	445.3	251.1	278.9	456.8
1983- March	350.4	448.6	252.3	282.3	460.6
June	358.0	457.9	256.3	286.3	465.1
September	364.0	464.5	259.5	289.0	468.8
December	372.6	469.0	261.0	291.7	473.3
1984 - March	371.0	472.1	264.2	295.6	476.6
June	371.8	481.4	267.2	298.0	487.0
September	376.9	486.3	270.4	300.0	501.7
December	-	-	271.3	-	-

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## INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ALL ITEMS

## VARIOUS COUNTRIES - continued

1970 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (United Nations)

Year	France	Netherlands	Germany F.R.	Japan	Sweden	Italy
1975	152.8	151.3	134.7	172.4	146.6	171.1
1976	166.9	164.6	140.4	188.4	161.7	199.8
1977	183.2	175.6	145.6	203.6	180.1	236.6
1978	199.8	182.7	149.6	211.3	198.1	265.3
1979	221.2	190.5	155.8	218.9	212.4	304.5
1980	251.3	203.1	163.9	236.4	241.5	369.1
1981	285.0	216.7	174.3	248.0	270.8	441.1
1982	318.7	229.6	183.4	254.6	294.0	513.7
1983	349.3	235.9	189.5	259.3	320.1	588.9
1977-						
March	177.1	172.2	145.2	200.0	173.0	298.5
June	182.5	176.4	147.2	204.1	181.2	235.8
September	186.7	177.8	146.7	207.2	185.2	242.5
December	189.4	178.9	147.5	205.3	189.0	249.3
1973-						
March	193.4	180.6	149.7	209.0	195.2	257.2
June	198.9	181.9	150.8	211.2	197.7	264.3
September	203.8	185.5	150.0	214.8	199.8	271.6
December	207.8	185.8	151.1	212.6	202.9	278.2
1979-						
March	213.0	188.3	153.5	213.8	207.0	291.0
June	219.2	189.5	155.6	219.1	210.3	300.3
September	226.3	192.7	157.2	221.6	215.7	314.5
December	233.3	194.7	158.8	224.8	222.7	330.6
1980-						
March	242.1	199.5	162.4	230.9	234.8	350.6
June	248.7	201.9	164.9	237.6	237.8	363.2
September	257.1	206.2	165.3	241.4	248.0	381.6
December	264.0	207.8	167.6	240.7	254.2	401.0
1981-						
March	272.3	212.7	171.3	245.2	265.3	422.3
June	281.2	215.3	174.0	248.9	269.5	439.6
September	292.9	220.2	176.1	250.8	276.0	452.7
December	301.0	222.6	178.1	251.8	277.4	473.6
1982-						
March	310.8	227.3	180.3	251.7	288.2	491.6
June	319.2	229.3	184.1	254.4	292.4	506.6
September	322.5	232.2	184.8	258.9	296.8	530.2
December	330.1	232.2	186.2	256.3	304.2	550.0
1983-						
March	338.7	233.3	187.8	257.4	312.9	571.0
June	347.3	234.7	189.2	259.3	318.3	585.2
September	355.1	237.8	191.0	260.8	324.9	600.9
December	360.6	239.4	191.8	260.8	332.1	619.3
1984 -						
March	367.9	242.4	193.6	263.8	340.2	638.7
June	373.9	243.3	194.4	264.3	344.0	651.5
September	380.2	244.5	193.9	266.7	349.7	661.6
December	-	246.1	195.6	-	-	-

TABLE 38

## GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT CURRENT PRICES

## VARIOUS COUNTRIES

Source: Main Economic Indicators (O.E.C.D.)

Period	Aust (\$A)	U.K. (Ster)	U.S. (\$US)	Canada (\$C)	Germany (D.M.)	Japan (Yen)	Sweden (Krona)	Italy (Lira)
	Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million	'000 Million
1975	65631	92507	1528.8	165.43	1032.9	148825	287.1	115072
1976	78252	110087	1702.2	191.03	1125.1	167295	291.3	156657
1977	86582	126943	1918.0	208.87	1200.5	184368	297.3	190083
1978	95819	145304	2156.1	230.35	1290.7	202708	301.3	222254
1979	108098	167937	2417.8	261.58	1395.3	218894	516.5	269198
1980	123969	230045	2631.7	297.56	1485.8	235834	525.2	338744
1981	140514	253877	2957.8	339.80	1545.1	252000	524.8	401579
1982	157605	276956	3069.2	358.30	1599.1	264775	527.6	471390
1983	171898	300993	3304.8	390.34	1671.6	274639	539.5	535904
Quarter								
1980 -								
March	116280	184280	2571.1	280.22	1472.4	226642	527.8	326136
June	120244	189532	2564.8	284.37	1484.8	232104	516.6	334732
September	124348	199176	2643.7	294.24	1496.8	239066	528.8	335632
December	129232	203540	2730.4	305.39	1496.8	243029	530.4	359772
1981 -								
March	132440	207772	2864.9	318.70	1508.4	246627	524.0	381580
June	137128	209600	2901.8	328.70	1527.2	249547	524.2	391788
September	143132	217112	2980.9	335.32	1561.6	253521	522.8	394084
December	146484	260060	3032.2	350.66	1572.8	255899	522.0	430932
1982 -								
March	151068	266492	3026.0	352.22	1575.6	259287	519.4	460004
June	156876	274344	3061.2	354.74	1594.4	264491	526.7	458924
September	160036	277664	3080.1	360.68	1604.4	267269	527.6	479824
December	162664	286540	3109.6	365.57	1619.6	267943	530.6	486808
1983 -								
March	165032	295896	3171.8	374.27	1637.2	270679	528.8	511880
June	166132	294036	3267.0	385.25	1659.2	273744	538.5	518592
September	175484	304060	3346.6	398.70	1674.8	277103	542.5	545668
December	180944	309980	3431.7	403.14	1715.2	279386	548.1	567476
1984 -								
March	188584	314152	3553.3	410.94	1735.6	284656	554.1	586120
June	196064	312064	3644.7	419.65	1702.4	291576	544.6	600080
September	195484	316188	3694.6	425.38	1744.8	294709	553.0	614260
December	-	-	3752.5	-	-	-	-	-

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# GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

## AT CONSTANT AND CURRENT PRICES

Source: Main Economic Indicators (O.E.C.D.)

	at 1975 prices and 1975 exchange rates					at current prices and exchange rates					
	1970	1975	1979	1980	1981	'000 Million Dollars U.S.					
				1980	1981	1982	1983	1980	1981	1982	1983
Canada	128.64	163.97	191.15	193.03	200.71	192.29	198.1	259.12	290.74	298.05	326.9
United States	1360.90	1538.80	1819.87	1815.82	1870.39	1826.31	1890.2	2598.59	2923.77	3041.36	3281.6
Japan	397.64	498.77	610.43	640.62	666.41	689.68	708.3	1040.45	1141.77	1061.92	1157.0
Australia	73.01	87.95	98.16	99.74	103.82	102.99	101.7	140.53	160.91	157.41	150.5
New Zealand	10.26	13.79	13.32	13.75	14.14	14.20	14.1	23.50	24.81	23.83	22.2
Austria	31.06	37.67	43.27	44.58	44.51	45.01	45.5	77.06	66.48	66.89	67.4
Belgium	52.69	61.75	69.31	71.54	70.72	71.52	71.5	117.16	95.86	84.29	81.5
Denmark	34.14	37.63	43.28	43.09	42.79	44.31	45.1	66.32	57.64	56.39	56.0
Finland	22.87	27.70	30.67	32.52	33.02	33.85	34.8	50.09	49.12	49.10	47.8
France	278.53	338.82	393.72	397.97	399.13	405.42	407.4	654.34	571.54	540.09	514.9
Germany	376.02	417.23	487.10	496.07	495.68	490.52	496.7	814.98	682.56	658.99	657.7
Greece	16.28	20.82	25.34	25.75	25.65	25.65	25.7	40.13	36.88	38.36	36.4
Iceland	0.96	1.29	1.53	1.59	1.62	1.60	1.5	2.88	2.95	2.64	2.3
Ireland	6.73	8.25	9.85	10.21	10.38	10.50	10.6	18.22	17.02	17.63	17.7
Italy	170.45	192.05	223.18	231.91	232.24	231.43	228.0	395.52	353.02	347.35	355.1
Luxembourg	1.97	2.36	2.63	2.67	2.62	2.59	2.5	4.62	3.86	3.34	3.2
Netherlands	74.56	87.09	98.49	99.33	98.51	96.97	98.2	169.38	141.58	137.59	133.3
Norway	22.67	28.45	34.57	36.07	36.17	35.96	36.5	57.71	57.24	56.18	55.0
Portugal	11.91	14.76	18.36	19.11	19.21	19.88	19.9	24.60	23.81	23.38	20.5
Spain	80.13	104.84	113.77	115.53	115.81	117.22	119.6	211.78	187.65	181.25	159.4
Sweden	63.76	72.44	76.11	77.38	76.96	77.29	78.6	124.15	112.85	99.16	91.6
Switzerland	52.15	54.30	56.43	59.03	59.89	59.15	59.2	101.65	94.06	96.54	98.2
Turkey	22.48	35.96	42.47	42.32	44.22	46.72	48.1	56.98	57.70	52.98	53.3
United Kingdom	210.12	232.54	257.76	251.01	247.82	253.54	259.9	525.78	500.83	477.38	449.2

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TABLE 40

## HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS

## CONSTRUCTION - STRUCTURAL STEEL ERECTORS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark	Guilders	Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	5.00	4.64	2.37	30.00	30.40	117.50	103.75
1965	-	5.07	5.09	2.50	34.30	34.50	119.39	105.83
1966	-	5.41	5.31	2.91	36.40	36.40	131.19	113.89
1967	5.64	5.71	5.31	3.08	38.55	38.55	131.52	118.22
1968	5.94	6.23	5.53	3.31	38.55	38.55	141.08	127.16
1969	6.94	6.23	5.98	3.52	47.50	47.50	147.45	126.69
1970	7.64	6.48	7.20	3.86	53.75	53.75	169.00	153.70
1971	7.64	8.03	8.21	4.87	53.75	53.75	180.00	177.78
1972	7.89	8.38	8.92	5.42	65.00	65.00	211.00	183.40
1973	8.29	8.78	9.81	6.16	71.00	71.00	234.00	208.50
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.01	79.00	79.00	347.00	307.78
1975	(c)	10.23	10.87	7.96	108.00	108.00	390.03	403.25
1976	(c)	(c)	11.54	8.49	134.90	135.40	426.25	448.00
1977	(c)	(c)	12.21	9.11	142.28	142.28	467.50	490.75
1978	(c)	(c)	13.08	9.88	151.00	151.00	503.33	527.58
1979	(c)	(c)	14.13	10.83	167.50	168.00	535.58	561.63
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.26	201.00	201.50	584.00	584.00
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	14.13	215.50	216.00	652.48	652.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.45	14.99	237.00	238.00	796.00	796.00
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	15.30	250.00	250.50	-	828.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) New country only series for 'average earnings' commenced in 1974 with limited current information.

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TABLE 40

## HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued

## MANUFACTURE OF MACHINERY - FITTERS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	Paris Region France	Germany (a) Mark	Netherlands (b) Guilders	United Kingdom (b)		Australia (b)	
				Glasgow Pence	London Pence	Melbourne Cents	Sydney Cents
1964	4.51	4.51	2.34	25.20	25.75	103.25	105.25
1965	4.80	4.83	2.68	27.95	28.30	104.75	106.75
1966	5.10	5.11	3.02	30.10	30.20	109.75	111.75
1967	5.43	5.28	3.30	32.20	32.20	115.00	117.00
1968	6.09	5.62	3.48	32.20	32.20	136.88	138.88
1969	6.71	6.05	3.75	37.50	37.50	136.88	138.88
1970	7.49	6.82	4.14	40.65	40.65	141.00	143.00
1971	8.55	7.75	4.51	43.75	43.75	164.50	166.50
1972	9.75	8.41	5.10	55.00	55.00	177.00	179.00
1973	11.12	9.46	5.82	62.50	62.50	194.25	196.25
1974	13.21	10.52	6.86	71.25	71.25	265.25	267.25
1975	13.12	-	7.73	90.00	90.00	284.25	286.50
1976	-	10.35	8.25	105.00	105.00	317.75	320.25
1977	-	-	8.84	105.00	105.00	352.25	355.00
1978	-	-	9.16	150.00	150.00	367.75	370.50
1979	-	-	10.39	150.00	150.00	421.50	424.50
1980	-	-	10.81	182.50	182.50	484.28	487.66
1981	-	-	11.39	197.50	197.50	520.25	523.90
1982	-	-	11.99	212.82	212.82	678.70	674.74
1983	-	-	11.99	223.00	223.00	-	705.00

(a) Average Earnings.

(b) Minimum Rates.

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# HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued

## CONSTRUCTION - CARPENTERS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)		United Kingdom (a)		Australia (d)	
	Boston	San Francisco		(a)	Guilders	Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark			Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	4.31	4.64	2.42	31.25	31.25	31.25	132.08	122.50
1965	-	4.58	5.08	2.55	32.70	32.90	32.90	133.96	125.83
1966	-	4.88	5.31	2.97	34.80	35.40	35.40	146.08	131.22
1967	5.15	5.21	5.31	3.14	36.65	37.30	37.30	146.52	136.98
1968	5.55	5.71	5.53	3.37	38.55	39.15	39.15	161.53	160.43
1969	6.15	6.21	5.98	3.59	39.60	40.20	40.20	179.43	160.43
1970	6.65	6.88	7.20	3.93	43.95	44.60	44.60	190.00	175.00
1971	7.65	6.88	8.21	4.96	50.00	50.50	50.50	219.00	205.00
1972	8.20	6.88	8.92	5.52	65.00	65.50	65.50	235.00	210.00
1973	8.35	8.10	9.81	6.27	80.50	81.00	81.00	258.00	242.00
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.13	87.50	88.00	88.00	375.00	345.00
1975	(c)	10.70	10.87	8.10	93.00	93.00	93.00	420.75	418.50
1976	10.20	10.50	11.54	8.64	130.00	130.50	130.50	461.25	461.25
1977	10.40	11.65	12.21	9.27	136.50	137.03	137.03	504.75	304.75
1978	(c)	(c)	13.08	10.06	150.50	151.00	151.00	540.03	540.03
1979	(c)	(c)	14.13	11.02	167.50	168.00	168.00	603.75	603.75
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.45	201.00	201.50	201.50	606.00	606.00
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	15.00	215.50	216.00	216.00	674.00	674.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	15.92	237.00	238.00	238.00	822.10	822.10
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	16.25	250.00	250.50	250.50	-	863.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) See Note (c) Page 47.

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# HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued

## CONSTRUCTION - PAINTERS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)		Germany (h)	Netherlands		United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco		(a)	Guilders	Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark			Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	4.47	4.64	2.42		31.25	31.25	130.42	116.67
1965	-	4.72	5.08	2.55		32.70	32.90	132.08	120.00
1966	-	4.97	5.31	2.97		34.80	35.40	143.92	127.19
1967	4.75	5.22	5.31	3.14		36.65	37.30	144.36	132.88
1968	5.15	5.57	5.33	3.37		38.55	39.15	159.37	156.03
1969	5.90	6.07	5.98	3.59		39.60	40.20	171.70	156.03
1970	6.08	6.57	7.20	3.93		43.95	44.60	186.00	170.00
1971	6.96	6.57	8.21	4.96		50.00	50.50	198.00	200.00
1972	7.21	7.77	8.92	5.52		65.00	65.50	231.00	205.00
1973	7.86	7.77	9.81	6.27		80.50	81.00	254.00	235.00
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.20		87.50	88.00	369.00	338.00
1975	(c)	10.15	10.97	8.17		93.00	93.00	415.93	413.75
1976	9.76	10.97	11.54	8.71		130.00	130.50	461.25	461.25
1977	10.06	10.97	12.21	9.36		136.50	137.03	504.75	504.75
1978	(c)	(c)	13.08	10.18		150.50	151.00	540.03	540.03
1979	(c)	(c)	14.13	11.11		167.50	168.00	593.75	593.75
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.55		201.00	201.50	593.00	593.00
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	15.00		215.50	216.00	662.00	662.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	15.92		237.00	238.00	807.10	807.15
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	16.25		254.00	250.50	-	839.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) See Note (c) Page 47.

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# HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued

## CONSTRUCTION - PLUMBERS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark	Guilders	Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	5.42	4.64	2.29	31.25	31.25	135.42	121.46
1965	-	6.20	5.08	2.41	32.70	32.90	137.08	126.67
1966	-	6.56	5.31	3.04	34.80	35.40	149.53	132.27
1967	5.60	6.86	5.31	3.33	36.65	37.30	149.97	138.08
1968	6.00	7.16	5.51	3.53	38.55	39.15	175.54	162.27
1969	6.30	7.30	5.98	3.78	39.60	40.20	184.35	162.27
1970	6.70	7.52	7.20	4.18	43.95	44.60	205.33	177.00
1971	8.20	8.03	8.21	4.81	50.00	50.50	233.75	207.00
1972	9.05	8.03	8.92	5.77	65.00	65.00	250.03	228.00
1973	9.35	8.23	9.81	6.36	71.50	71.50	273.03	252.00
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.49	81.50	81.50	415.17	350.00
1975	(c)	11.02	10.87	8.56	101.50	101.50	430.00	415.35
1976	10.40	11.75	11.54	9.13	121.75	121.75	487.96	438.25
1977	10.80	12.60	12.21	9.87	133.00	133.00	533.14	480.25
1978	-	-	13.08	10.22	160.00	160.00	602.73	592.00
1979	-	-	14.13	11.11	186.00	186.00	627.25	649.08
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.54	204.00	233.00	658.00	655.50
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	12.15	233.00	233.00	727.25	728.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	12.99	250.00	254.00	853.00	848.50
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	12.99	269.00	279.00	-	857.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) See Note (c) Page 47.

HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued  
CONSTRUCTION - ELECT. FITTERS (INSIDE WIREMEN)

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)			Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston Dollars	San Francisco Dollars		Mark	Guilders	Glasgow Pence	London Pence	Melbourne Cents	Sydney Cents
1964	-	5.12		4.64	2.41	35.40	38.55	103.25	106.75
1965	-	5.41		5.08	2.58	37.50	39.60	104.75	108.25
1966	-	5.80		5.31	3.08	37.50	43.35	109.75	118.88
1967	5.45	6.17		5.31	3.38	42.50	48.35	115.00	124.13
1968	5.90	6.59		5.53	3.58	43.75	50.85	136.88	146.50
1969	6.20	6.77		5.98	3.83	46.25	52.50	136.88	146.50
1970	7.05	7.12		7.20	4.23	51.25	58.35	141.00	165.63
1971	7.85	8.63		8.21	4.69	53.00	60.00	164.50	182.63
1972	8.60	8.63		8.92	5.77	59.50	67.50	177.00	193.13
1973	9.10	-		9.81	6.36	66.50	75.50	194.25	236.63
1974	(c)	(c)		10.36	7.49	89.00	98.00	265.25	324.88
1975	(c)	10.22		10.87	8.56	110.00	119.00	284.25	411.50
1976	10.25	12.18		11.54	9.13	125.00	134.00	317.75	455.75
1977	10.25	13.29		12.21	9.87	132.37	141.53	352.25	499.00
1978	(c)	(c)		13.08	10.22	160.00	169.00	367.53	444.50
1979	(c)	(c)		14.13	11.11	177.00	185.95	394.75	535.50
1980	(c)	(c)		15.26	11.54	248.00	262.00	455.00	606.25
1981	(c)	(c)		15.90	12.15	252.00	266.00	488.75	654.75
1982	(c)	(c)		16.35	12.99	277.00	291.00	674.74	812.10
1983	(c)	(c)		16.95	12.99	300.00	318.00	-	841.00

(a) Minimum rates

(b) Average earnings

(c) See note (c) Page 47.

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS  
CONSTRUCTION - STRUCTURAL STEEL ERECTORS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	San Francisco	San			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	87.6	-	87.4	76.9	77.8	78.9	89.3	87.8
1965	-	88.8	-	95.7	81.2	89.0	89.5	90.8	89.5
1966	-	94.7	-	100.0	94.5	94.4	94.4	99.7(a)	96.3(a)
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	105.3	109.1	-	104.1	107.5	100.0	100.0	107.3	107.6
1969	123.0	109.1	-	112.6	114.3	123.2	123.2	112.1	107.2
1970	135.5	113.5	-	135.6	125.3	139.4	139.4	128.5	130.0
1971	135.5	140.6	-	154.6	158.1	139.4	139.4	136.9	150.4
1972	139.9	146.8	-	168.0	176.0	168.6	168.6	160.4	155.1
1973	147.0	153.8	-	184.7	200.0	184.2	184.2	177.9	176.4
1974	-	-	-	195.1	227.6	204.9	204.9	263.8	260.3
1975	-	179.2	-	204.7	258.4	280.2	280.2	296.2	341.1
1976	-	-	-	217.3	275.6	350.0	351.3	323.7	379.0
1977	-	-	-	229.9	295.8	369.1	369.1	355.5	415.1
1978	-	-	-	246.3	320.8	391.7	391.7	382.7	446.3
1979	-	-	-	266.1	351.7	434.5	435.8	407.3	475.1
1980	-	-	-	287.4	365.6	521.4	522.7	444.0	494.0
1981	-	-	-	299.4	458.8	559.0	560.3	496.1	551.5
1982	-	-	-	307.9	486.7	614.8	617.4	605.2	673.3
1983	-	-	-	319.2	496.8	648.5	649.8	-	700.4

(a) Series changed to include miscellaneous allowances (Tool, Disability, Public Holidays, etc)

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued  
MANUFACTURE OF MACHINERY - FITTERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	France		Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Paris Region	Region			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	83.1		85.4	70.9	78.3	80.0	89.8	90.0
1965	88.4		91.5	81.2	86.8	87.9	91.1	91.2
1966	93.9		96.8	91.5	93.5	93.8	95.4	95.5
1967	100.0		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	112.2		106.4	105.5	100.0	100.0	119.0	118.7
1969	123.6		114.6	113.6	116.5	116.5	199.0	118.7
1970	137.9		129.2	125.5	126.2	126.2	122.6	122.2
1971	157.5		146.8	136.7	135.9	135.9	143.0	142.3
1972	179.6		159.3	154.5	170.8	170.8	153.9	153.0
1973	204.8		179.2	176.4	194.1	194.1	168.9	167.7
1974	243.3		199.2	207.9	221.3	221.3	270.7	228.4
1975	241.6		-	234.2	279.5	279.5	247.2	244.9
1976	-		196.0	250.0	326.1	326.1	276.3	273.7
1977	-		-	267.9	326.1	326.1	306.3	303.4
1978	-		-	277.6	465.8	465.8	319.8	316.9
1979	-		-	314.9	465.8	465.8	366.5	363.1
1980	-		-	327.6	566.8	566.8	421.1	416.8
1981	-		-	345.2	613.4	613.4	452.4	447.8
1982	-		-	360.6	661.0	661.0	590.2	576.7
1983	-		-	360.6	692.6	692.6	-	602.6

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued  
CONSTRUCTION - CARPENTERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	San Francisco	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	83.1	-	87.4	77.1	85.3	83.8	90.1	89.4
1965	-	87.9	-	95.7	81.2	89.2	88.2	91.4	91.9
1966	-	93.7	-	100.0	94.6	95.0	94.9	99.7	95.8
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	107.8	109.6	-	104.1	107.3	105.2	105.0	110.2	117.1
1969	119.4	119.2	-	112.6	114.3	108.0	107.8	122.5	117.1
1970	129.1	132.1	-	135.6	125.2	119.9	119.6	129.7	127.8
1971	148.5	132.1	-	154.6	158.0	136.4	135.4	149.5	149.7
1972	159.2	132.1	-	168.0	175.8	177.4	175.6	160.4	153.3
1973	162.1	155.5	-	184.7	199.7	219.6	217.2	176.1	176.7
1974	-	-	-	195.1	227.1	238.7	235.9	255.9	251.9
1975	-	205.4	-	204.7	258.0	253.8	249.3	287.2	305.5
1976	198.1	201.6	-	217.3	275.2	354.8	349.8	314.8	336.7
1977	209.9	223.6	-	229.9	295.2	372.4	367.4	344.5	368.5
1978	-	-	-	246.3	320.4	410.6	404.8	368.6	394.2
1979	-	-	-	266.1	351.0	457.0	450.4	412.1	440.7
1980	-	-	-	287.4	364.6	548.4	540.2	413.6	442.4
1981	-	-	-	299.5	477.6	588.0	579.1	460.0	492.0
1982	-	-	-	307.9	506.9	646.6	638.1	561.1	600.2
1983	-	-	-	319.2	517.4	682.1	671.6	-	630.0

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued  
CONSTRUCTION - PAINTERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	Francisco	San			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	85.6	-	87.4	77.1	85.3	83.8	90.3	87.8
1965	-	90.4	-	95.7	81.2	89.2	88.2	91.5	90.3
1966	-	95.2	-	100.0	94.6	95.0	94.9	99.7	95.7
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	108.4	106.7	-	104.1	107.3	105.2	105.0	110.4	117.4
1969	124.2	116.3	-	112.6	114.3	108.0	107.8	118.9	117.4
1970	128.0	125.9	-	135.6	125.2	119.9	119.6	128.8	127.9
1971	146.5	125.9	-	154.6	158.0	136.4	135.4	137.2	150.5
1972	151.8	148.9	-	168.0	175.8	177.4	175.6	160.0	154.3
1973	165.5	148.9	-	184.7	199.7	219.6	217.2	175.9	176.9
1974	-	-	-	195.1	229.3	238.7	235.9	255.6	254.4
1975	-	194.4	-	204.7	260.2	253.8	249.3	288.1	311.4
1976	205.5	210.1	-	217.3	277.4	354.8	349.8	319.5	347.1
1977	211.8	210.2	-	229.9	298.1	372.4	367.4	349.6	379.9
1978	-	-	-	246.3	324.2	410.6	404.8	374.1	406.4
1979	-	-	-	266.1	353.8	457.0	450.4	411.3	446.8
1980	-	-	-	287.4	367.8	548.4	540.2	410.8	446.2
1981	-	-	-	299.4	477.7	587.9	579.1	458.6	498.2
1982	-	-	-	307.9	507.0	646.6	638.1	559.1	607.4
1983	-	-	-	319.2	517.5	693.0	671.6	-	611.4

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued  
CONSTRUCTION - PLUMBERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	Francisco	San			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	79.0	-	87.4	68.8	85.3	83.8	90.3	88.0
1965	-	90.4	-	95.7	72.4	89.2	88.2	91.4	91.7
1966	-	95.6	-	100.0	91.3	95.0	94.9	99.7	95.8
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	107.1	104.4	-	104.1	106.0	105.2	105.0	117.1	117.5
1969	112.5	106.4	-	112.6	113.5	108.0	107.8	122.9	117.5
1970	119.6	109.6	-	135.6	125.5	119.9	119.6	136.9	128.2
1971	146.4	117.1	-	154.6	144.4	136.4	135.4	155.9	149.9
1972	161.6	117.1	-	168.0	173.3	177.4	174.3	186.7	165.1
1973	167.0	120.0	-	184.7	191.0	195.1	191.7	182.1	182.5
1974	-	-	-	195.1	224.9	222.4	218.5	276.8	253.5
1975	-	160.6	-	204.7	257.1	276.9	272.1	286.7	300.8
1976	185.7	171.2	-	217.3	274.2	332.1	326.4	325.3	317.4
1977	192.9	183.7	-	220.9	296.4	362.9	356.6	355.5	347.8
1978	-	-	-	246.3	306.9	436.6	428.9	401.9	428.7
1979	-	-	-	266.1	333.6	507.5	498.7	418.3	470.1
1980	-	-	-	287.4	346.5	556.6	624.7	438.8	474.7
1981	-	-	-	299.4	364.9	635.7	624.7	484.9	527.2
1982	-	-	-	307.9	390.1	682.1	681.0	568.8	614.5
1983	-	-	-	319.2	390.1	733.9	748.0	-	620.6

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued  
CONSTRUCTION - ELECT FITTERS (INSIDE WIREMEN)

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	Francisco	San			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	83.0	-	87.4	71.3	83.3	79.7	89.8	86.0
1965	-	87.7	-	95.7	76.3	88.2	81.9	91.1	87.2
1966	-	94.0	-	100.0	91.1	88.2	89.7	95.4	95.8
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	108.3	106.8	-	104.1	105.9	102.9	105.2	119.0	118.0
1969	113.8	109.7	-	112.6	113.3	108.8	108.6	119.0	118.0
1970	129.4	115.4	-	135.6	125.1	120.6	120.7	122.6	133.4
1971	144.0	139.9	-	154.6	138.8	124.7	124.1	143.0	147.1
1972	157.8	139.9	-	168.0	170.7	140.0	139.6	153.9	155.6
1973	167.0	-	-	184.7	188.2	156.5	156.2	168.9	190.6
1974	-	-	-	195.1	221.6	209.4	202.7	230.7	261.7
1975	-	165.6	-	204.7	253.3	258.8	246.1	247.2	331.5
1976	188.1	197.4	-	217.3	270.2	294.1	277.1	276.3	367.1
1977	188.1	215.4	-	229.9	292.0	311.5	292.7	306.3	402.0
1978	-	-	-	246.3	302.4	376.5	349.5	319.6	358.1
1979	-	-	-	266.1	328.7	416.5	384.6	343.3	431.4
1980	-	-	-	287.4	341.4	583.5	541.9	395.7	488.4
1981	-	-	-	299.4	359.3	592.9	550.2	425.0	527.5
1982	-	-	-	307.9	384.3	651.7	601.9	586.7	654.2
1983	-	-	-	319.2	384.3	705.8	657.7	-	677.5

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TABLE 42

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## ESCALATION RATE PER ANNUM OF EARNINGS

Country	Index	Table Number	Escalation Rates		
		Reference	From	To	% Rate
Australia	Average Weekly Earnings of all Male Employees (a)	1	1972 1982 Dec 1983	1980 1984 Dec 1984	12.9 8.4 7.6
	Hourly Wage Rates Garden Island Dockyards	3	1976 1980 Mar 1984	1984 1984 Mar 1985	10.6 12.5 10.2
	Hourly Wage Rates Williamstown Dockyard	3	1976 1980 Mar 1984	1984 1984 Mar 1985	11.3 14.7 5.3
United States	Average Weekly Earnings - Fabricated Metal Products	18	1975 1979 Jan 1984	1983 1983 Jan 1985	7.7 7.4 1.3
	Machinery Manufacture excl. Electrical	18	1975 1979 Jan 1984	1983 1983 Jan 1985	7.5 6.3 1.7
	Ship Building Repair	19	1975 1979 Jan 1983	1983 1983 Jan 1984	8.8 9.1 5.4
Netherlands	Average Hourly Earnings of Male Employees				
	Employees Employed in Private Enterprise	34	1975 1979 May 1983	1983 1983 May 1984	5.9 4.4 0.4
	Employees Employed in Government	34	1975 1979 May 1983	1983 1983 May 1984	3.1 0.1 -1.6
Canada	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	25	1975 1979 Oct 1983	1983 1983 Oct 1984	9.6 9.2 5.0

(a) As from September 1981, the method of compiling average weekly earnings estimates has changed. See Note (1) page 2. Long term escalation rates are based on the old series.

TABLE 42

60.

## ESCALATION RATE PER ANNUM OF EARNINGS - continued

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	% Rate
Japan	Monthly Earnings in Manufacturing	28	1975	1983	6.9
			1979	1983	5.2
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	4.7
France	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	31	1975	1983	13.3
			1979	1983	14.1
			Oct 1983	Oct 1984	6.7
Germany F.R.	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	32	1975	1983	5.7
			1979	1983	5.2
			Jul 1983	Jul 1984	2.4
New Zealand	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	24	1975	1983	14.1
			1979	1983	13.5
			May 1983	May 1984	4.9
Sweden	Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	35	1975	1983	7.2
			1979	1983	9.4
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	10.2

Note: The yearly figures shown are averages for that year whereas the monthly figures shown relate to the index point for that month only.

TABLE 43

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## ESCALATION RATES PER ANNUM OF PRODUCERS PRICE AND WHOLESALE PRICES

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	% Rate
Australia	Materials used in House Building -				
	Steel	8	1976	1984	10.7
	Products		1980	1984	11.0
			Dec 1983	Dec 1984	3.1
	Electrical	8	1976	1984	11.5
	Installation		1980	1984	11.7
	Materials		Dec 1983	Dec 1984	10.8
	All Groups		1976	1984	10.0
			1980	1984	10.1
			Dec 1983	Dec 1984	7.9
United Kingdom	Output -	15	1978	1983	5.9
	Metal		1979	1983	4.3
	Manufacturing		Nov 1983	Nov 1984	7.5
	Electrical and Electronic	15	1978	1983	8.5
	Engineering		1979	1983	7.6
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	4.6
	Instrument	15	1973	1983	9.5
	Engineering		1979	1983	9.1
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	5.3
	Total	15	1978	1983	9.5
	Manufacturing		1979	1983	9.1
	Prices		Nov 1983	Nov 1984	5.9
United States	Output	21	1976	1984	6.5
	Iron and Steel		1980	1984	4.0
			Jan 1984	Jan 1985	1.0
	Machinery and	21	1976	1984	7.0
	Equipment		1980	1984	5.1
			Jan 1984	Jan 1985	2.4
	Electrical	21	1976	1984	6.8
	Machinery and		1980	1984	5.4
	Equipment		Jan 1984	Jan 1985	3.1

TABLE 43

62.

## ESCALATION RATES PER ANNUM OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES - continued

Country	Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
			From	To	% Rate
Netherlands	Producers' Materials	33	1975	1983	(a)
			1979	1983	10.1
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	7.4
	Industrial Products	33	1975	1983	(a)
			1979	1983	8.2
			May 1983	May 1984	6.7
	Capital Goods	33	1975	1983	(a)
			1979	1983	4.2
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	2.2
Canada	Raw Materials	26	1975	1983	(a)
			1979	1983	11.7
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	4.7
	Industrial Products	26	1975	1983	(a)
			1979	1983	8.1
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	4.1
Japan	Raw Materials	29	1975	1983	(a)
			1980	1983	0.6
			Oct 1983	Oct 1984	0.6
	Producers' Materials	29	1975	1983	(a)
			1980	1983	-0.2
			Oct 1983	Oct 1984	0.6
Sweden	Manufactured Goods	36	1975	1983	(a)
			1980	1983	11.6
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	7.0
	Basic Metals	36	1975	1983	(a)
			1980	1983	8.9
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	6.8
	Metal Products	36	1975	1983	(a)
			1980	1983	10.5
			Nov 1983	Nov 1984	5.1

Note: The yearly figures shown are averages for that year whereas monthly figures shown relate to the index points for that month only.

(a) New series. Long term escalation rates are not available.

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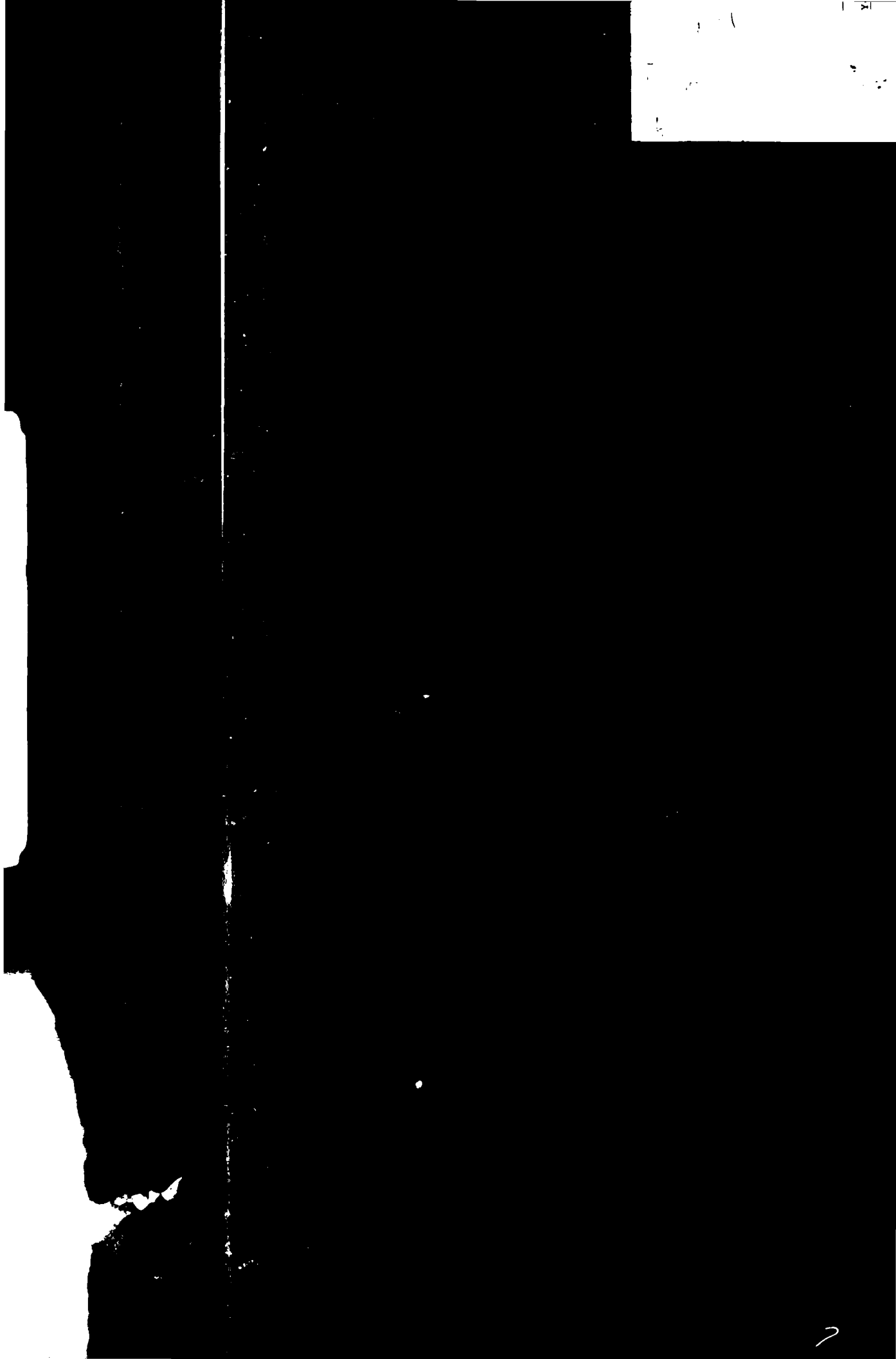
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SEOCORDFP	ANZ BANK BLDG MANUKA	
DCL (2)	CP2-5-17	
DCOST	CP3-5-21	Library Department of Administrative Services PO Box 1920 CANBERRA CITY ACT 2601
DEMPS	J-3-21	
DEP-A	J-2-15	
DGFM	CP1-2-12	General Manager Williamstown Naval Dockyard Private Bag No 4 WILLIAMSTOWN VIC 3016
DGNP	CP1-1-25	
DGSUP-A	CP4-3-02	Material Manager Williamstown Naval Dockyard Private Bag No 4 WILLIAMSTOWN VIC 3016
DNEES	CP2-7-24	
DNMES	CP2-6-06	
DNSP	CP1-1-13	Estimating Section Nelson Pier Workshop Williamstown Naval Dockyard Private Bag No 4 WILLIAMSTOWN VIC 3016
DNSRF	CP3-1-09	
DPPAC-AF	C-4-24	
DSC-A	I-1-30	Assistant Secretary (Finance) Ministry of Defence Private Bag Wellington NEW ZEALAND
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DSMR	CP2-6-04	
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